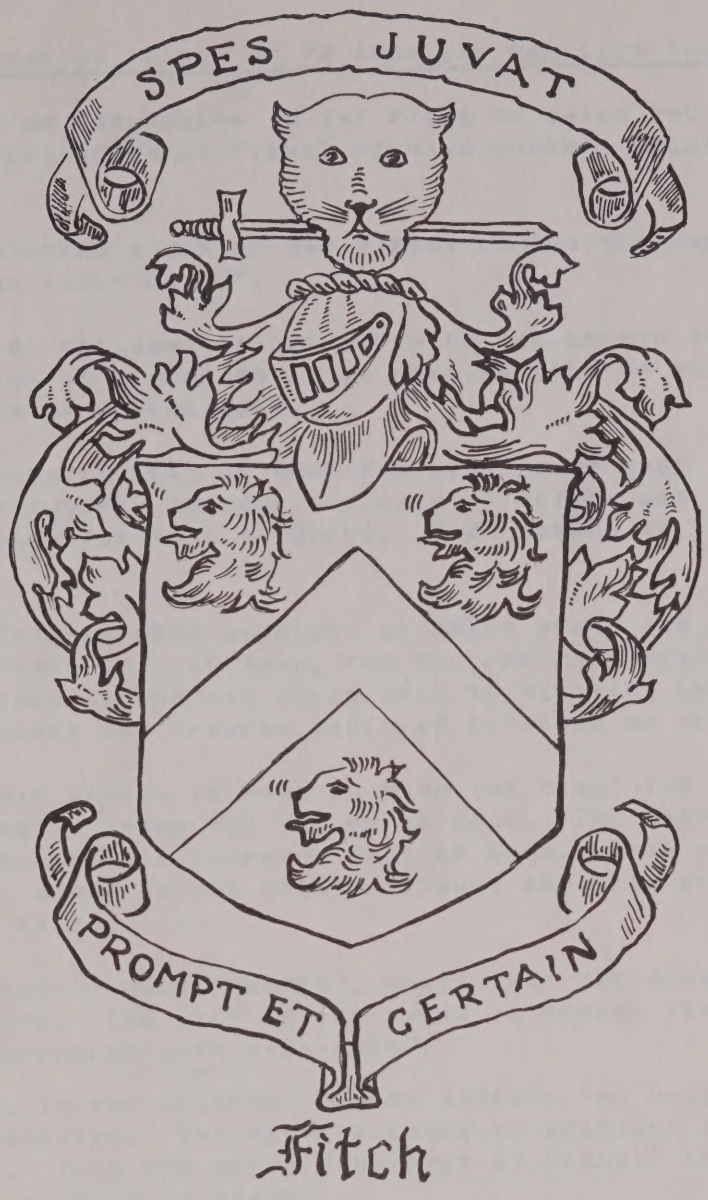
FITCH FAMILY HISTORY

With

LINEAGE LINES

of

NATHANIEL and SARAH DE LONG FITCH

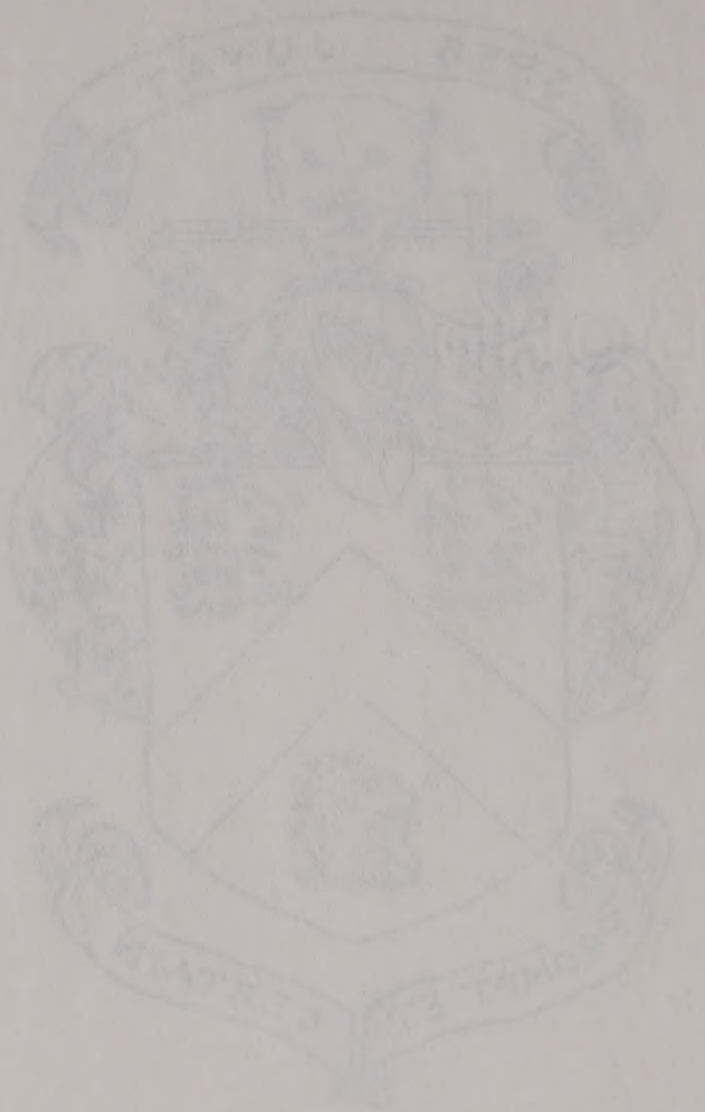


FITCH COAT OF ARMS

THE FITCH COAT OF ARMS HAS A VERY ANCIENT ORIGIN AND THE RIGHT TO THE USE OF THE ARMS HAS BEEN A PROUD PEROGATIVE OF SUCCEEDING GENERATIONS THROUGH THE CENTURIES.

THERE ARE FEW FAMILIES IN AMERICA WHO CAN TRACE THEIR ANCESTRY AS FAR BACK AS THE ESTABLISHED ENGLISH "PEDIGREE OF FITCH" OR USE AS ANCIENT A COAT OF ARMS BY OFFICIAL RECOGNITION.

THE CLAIM OF THE DESCENDANTS OF THOMAS FITCH, ESQ. OF BOCKING, COUNTY ESSEX, ENGLAND, FATHER OF FOUR FITCH BROTHERS WHO SETTLED IN CONNECTICUT TO THE USE OF BOTH ANCIENT AND 16TH CENTURY FITCH ARMS WAS PROVEN TO SATISFACTION BY THE NEW ENGLAND HISTORIC GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY BY WINCHESTER FITCH, ESQ. WHO SUBMITTED HIS PROOFS TO THE COMMITTEE ON HERALDRY AND THE FITCH ARMS WERE INCLUDED IN THE SOCIETY'S "ROLL OF ARMS".



The Fitch family is one of 72 American families thus enrolled.

The shield or escutcheon is the field on which the bearings are grouped; it is described as "vert" meaning green - signifying mirth, love, gladness.

A cheveron means a bar of two pieces coming together, rafted like, forming an inverted "V".

The width of the arms is one fifth of the length of the shield; its ornamentation is described as or meaning gold or yellow - signifying power or sovereignty.

Among animals on Coat of Arms the lion holds most important place, as early as the twelfth century the king of beasts was assumed as an appropriate emblem for Arms of Dukes. The leopard as the emblem for Arms of Lords.

That the Fitches were warriors of brave heart and strong arm is proven by the Fitch Coat of Arms, for the cheveron betokens achievement of important trusts, and was given only to military leaders of great valor whose courage and prowess could be depended on in battle.

The heraldic wreath is made up from the first two colors of the armorial bearings - green and yellow or gold. The wreath forms a support for the crest, a leopards face of gold. This means that the head is yellow, borne on the wreath without any part of the neck showing - full faced.

"In his mouth a sword proper", means that the sword is thrust through the mouth. The hilt of the sword is ready; this betokens "strength and boldness with hardiness".

The scroll is the ornament placed beneath the shield on which the motto is engraved. The motto alludes to bearings or great and daring actions. Thus the motto "Promptus et Cerlus" denotes prompt and determined - ready to serve.

And the words above signify great faith. "Spes Juvat" in liberal translation means "Hope is every present".

Excerpts from

Roscoe Conkling Fitch

Fitch Family

History of 1930

INTRODUCTION

This book was compiled from family records of the Nathaniel and Sarah DeLong Fitch Family.

A great deal of credit should go to the historians of the family reunions - -

Gladys Fitch	July 4, 1918
Carolyn Kell Davis	July, 1961

Much honor and praise goes to Helen Stratton Bowlby who spent years of research, letter writing and reading in compiling the geneology and earliest history of the Fitch family of England and early America.

Particular attention was given to avoiding errors, "but to err is human". It was noted that dates of birth did not always agree with dates listed in another record; however, they were entered as found in our historical books of records from first reunion held in Allen County from 1901 to 1970.

Abbreviations used:

P — Page
M — Married
b — born
d — died
B.P. — Burial Place
Issue — Number of Children (Nathaniel and Sarah Fitch)
c & ch — Number of Children in the Early Fitch History

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VI. Nathaniel Fitch was born in 1781, Canterbury, Connecticut (Windham) and died at Falls Township, Wyoming County, Pennsylvania, on September 14, 1839. He was buried in the Fitch Cemetery on the old homestead there. His wife was Sarah Keeler. They were married on August 29, 1801 in Falls Township and lived all their lives on the old homestead there.

Sarah Keeler was born in Ridgefield, Connecticut, June 26, 1785. She was the daughter of Paul Keeler, Jr. who was born April 9, 1756 and Sarah Burt Cornwall. They were married in Ridgefield, Connecticut on February 7, 1775. Paul Keeler, Jr. was a trumpeter in the Revolutionary Army in Sheldon's Light Horse Brigade from the state of Connecticut. His father was Paul Keeler, Sr. was born in 1720 and was the son of Joseph Keeler born in 1683. Joseph was the son of Ralph Keeler who was born in England in 1613 and came to Hartford, Connecticut in 1640. His will is on file at Fairfield, Connecticut, dated August 20, 1672. (This is your record and reference if you care to enter the DAR.)

VII. Nathaniel Fitch, Jr. was born July 9, 1806 at Tunkhannock Falls Township, Wyoming County, Pennsylvania. He was "bound out" for six years to learn the blacksmith trade and gunsmith's to a party in Easton, Pennsylvania by his father. (Easton was about 100 miles from his home.) He came home, (said to have run away) in about eight months, but he had the trade. He opened a shop on the old homestead in partnership with his brother Giles. After Giles learned the trade, Nat, as he was called, said there wasn't enough work for two, so he sold and went west alone through the woods, his only baggage being his rifle, hatchet, and a sack of salt. Giles visited him in Fort Wayne. The story of Nathaniel's courtship and marriage is a good one. On June 4, 1840, Nathaniel married Sarah Elizabeth DeLong, who was born May 29, 1818 at Dayton, Miami County, Ohio.

Austerfield is in York
near Scooby - church of the Pilgrims

William Bradford of Austerfield, England
died JAN 10, 1595

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William Bradford (sons Robert, Thomas + William)
died July 15, 1591
married Alice Hansen, daughter of John Hansen of Austerfield
married JAN 21, 1584

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Gov. William Bradford

DESCENDANTS OF GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRADFORD

GOVERNOR WILLIAM BRADFORD

Baptized March 19, 1589/90 at Austerfield, Yorkshire County.

d. May 19, 1657 — He died May 19, 1657 at Plymouth, Massachusetts.

m. December 9, 1613
1. Dorothea May, at Amsterdam, Holland. She was born March 19, 1596 in Wisbach, Cambridge County. Died by accidental drowning December 9, 1620 at Cape Cod.

m. 1623
2. Alice Carpenter, baptized August 3, 1590 at Wrentham Somersetshire, England. She was married shortly after the arrival of the "Ann" in July 1623. Died March 26, 1670 at Plymouth, Massachusetts.

MAJOR WILLIAM BRADFORD

Son of Governor Bradford.

b. June 17, 1624 — At Plymouth, Massachusetts.

d. February 20, 1703/4 — At Plymouth, Massachusetts.

m. 1650 — Alice Richards about 1650 (close to April 23, 1650). She was born June 16, 1617 at Weymouth, Massachusetts. Had five children. Alice died December 12, 1671 at Plymouth, Massachusetts.

ALICE BRADFORD

Daughter of Major William Bradford and Alice Richards.

b. 1659 — At Plymouth, Massachusetts.

d. March 10, 1745 — At Canterbury, Connecticut.

m. March 28, 1680
1. Reverend Williams Adams. He died August 17, 1685 at Dedham, Massachusetts.

m. May 8, 1687
2. Major James Fitch, born August 2, 1647/9 at Saybrook, Connecticut. Died November 10, 1727 at Canterbury, Connecticut.

EBENEZER FITCH

Son of Alice Bradford and Major James Fitch.

b. January 10, 1689 — At Norwich, Connecticut.

d. November 20, 1724 — At Windsor, Connecticut.

m. September 18, 1712 — Bridget Brown at Canterbury, Connecticut.

ALICE FITCH

b. January 30, 1713 — Daughter of Ebenezer Fitch and Bridget Brown.

d. 1796

m. January 25, 1730/1 — Lt. John Fitch, son of Cap't John Fitch and Elizabeth Waterman and Reverend James Fitch's grandson. Lt. John Fitch, born March 18, 1705, died February 19, 1760.

JOHN FITCH

Son of Alice and Lt. John Fitch

b. July 14, 1732 — At Windham, Connecticut.

d. June 26, 1755 — At Canterbury, Connecticut.

m. November 7, 1753 — Mercy Lathrop, who was born October 1, 1736 at Tolland, Connecticut.

JOHN FITCH

b.	January 11, 1756	At Canterbury, Connecticut (posthumous son)
d.	1816	At Ridgefield, Connecticut.
m.		Second wife named Mary - - - - -.

NATHANIEL FITCH

		Son of John Fitch.
b.	February 12, 1781	At Canterbury, Connecticut (Windham)
d.	September 14, 1839	At Falls Township, Wyoming County, Pennsylvania.
m.	August 29, 1801	Sarah Keeler. She was born in Ridgefield, Connecticut, June 28, 1785 and died February 6, 1856. Is buried in Fitch's Cemetery, Falls Township, Pennsylvania.

NATHANIEL FITCH

		Son of Nathaniel and Sarah Keeler Fitch.
b.	July 9, 1806	At Tunkhannock, Falls Township, Wyoming County, Pennsylvania.
d.	January 1, 1877	Buried in Perry Cemetery near Huntertown, Indiana.
m.	June 4, 1840	Sarah Elizabeth DeLong. She was born May 29, 1818 and died September 2, 1908 and is buried in Perry Cemetery, near Huntertown, Indiana.

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EARLY HISTORY OF THE FITCH FAMILY

There is some question as to whether the Fitch Family descended from the Normans or the Saxons. Several distinguished Fitch men who have made a study of the family history think the family goes back to the Norman Conquest of 1066 AD and give this as proof: "Morant's History of County Essex, England says that Robert de Gernon came from France with William the Conqueror. William the Conqueror gave to this Robert Gernon, his blood relative, the manor of Waysbury as a special donation. Gernon held it as part of his barony of which the head was at Stanstead Montfichet in Essex. He built a castle on a hill which he presented to his son William de Gernon who dropped the name de Gernon and assumed the name Montfitchet. William married Margaret, daughter of Gilbert, second Lord of Clare. They had a son Gilbert de Montfitchet who had a son Richard de Montfitchet. He was one of the barons at Runnymede in 1225 AD who wrested the charter from King John and was one of the twenty-five barons appointed to rule the realm. In 1236 he was made Justice of the Royal Forest in Essex and in 1242 High Sheriff of Essex, and Hertfordshire and Governor of Hertfordshire Castle. His third son, Roger de Montfitchet, had a son John who tired of the prefix "Mont" and spelled his Fitche, leaving off the "t". He was granted Armorial bearings in the year 1263 and was of the "Fitch Castle of the North" in 1294."

Professor Asa Fitch was of the opinion that the English Fitches were not Norman but Saxon. He compiled a genealogy, which was never published. At his death the manuscript was deposited with the New York Genealogical Society and can be seen at the Society's Building in New York City. He believed that the Fitches are one of the old Anglo-Saxon families of England who came over when they subdued the Ancient Britons and drove them into Wales and Cornwall and that they settled in East Saxony or Essex about 530 AD.

"In the Herald's Visitations to Essex the Fitch Family is traced back step by step to William the second son of John Fitch who was living in Fitch Castle in the parish of Widdington in the North West part of Essex in the twenty-second year of the reign of Edward I, 1294 AD, two hundred years before Columbus discovered America.

Whatever race we came from we do know that John Fitch of "Fitch Castle of the North" in Widdington, County Essex, is the direct ancestor of the four Fitch brothers who settled in Connecticut, and that he was living in 1294 AD. His name appears as of that date in the ancient records of the British Museum, London. Members of the Fitch Family bore a coat of arms through the centuries as substaintiated by the Ancient Records of the College of Arms, and the British Museum."

not proven

William Fiche (Fyche) (Second son of John Fitch who lived in Fitch Castle of the North in 1294 AD) b. about 1400. Received a grant of lands in the Manor of Widdington, Essex County, January 18, 1441. Bought other lands there from Richard Pelworth January 16, 1459. Death reported at Court of Manor held April 24, 1468.

His son

John Fytche Found to be heir of his father by Inquisitions April 24, 1466 and May 14, 1467. He was then thirty years old. His death was reported at the Court of Manor of Widdington held April 9, 1468.
M. Juliana - - - - -. She was appointed guardian of their son April 9, 1468. Her death was reported at the Court of Manor of Widdington held November 9, 1514.

D His son
Thomas Fitch

Found to be heir of his father by Inquisition April 9, 1468, he being then three years old. He was admitted to his inheritance November 8, 1487 and to his mother's lands in Widdington November 9, 1514. His death was reported at the Court of Manor of Widdington November 5, 1514 and at the Court of Manor of Lindsell December 23, 1514. M. Agnes Alger, also Algore, only child and heir of Robert Algore, Lord of the Castle Brasonhead and other lands. She was admitted tenent of her father's lands December 21, 1493. She died before September 25, 1533.

C His son
Roger Fitch

Of Panfield and Bocking, Essex County, England. He was admitted tenant of Hartshede etc. in Lindsell (being his mother's lands) September 25, 1533. He was mentioned in the Court of Rolls of Widdington May 6, 1546. Held a house and freeland in Bocking and a house in Bredford Street there which he bought of William Dobson. His will, dated January 1558/9 was proved February 22, following in the Consistory Court of London, England. M. Margery - - - - - who was the sole executrix of her husband's will 1559.

B His son
George Fitch

Of Braintree aforesaid, afterwards of Sudbury and subsequently of Edwardstone, Suffolk County. Mentioned in his father's will of 1559, he being then 21. Bought a house and land in Ballingdon Essex County from John Sheppearde (Fine Michelmas 1603). Mentioned as deceased in the will of his cousin Thomas Fitch of Margaretting, 1606. His will dated May 1605 was proved June 18 following P.C.C.
M. first, Joan Thurgood of Elsenham, Essex County, at Canfield. Marriage license (Bishop of London) September 13, 1574.
Second wife, Bridget, widow firstly of John Goss of Edwardstone secondly of John French of Edwardstone whose will, dated January 1602, was proved March 3 following P.C.C. Died August 29 1603, buried at Edwardstone 30th of same month.
Third wife, Joane, widow of - - - - - Taylor. Mentioned in her husband's will of 1605.

A His son
Thomas Fitch

probably born c. 1580

He was the eldest son of George Fitch and Joan Thurgood Fitch. He was born 1590 and christened 1598. He was a great land owner and cloth manufacturer. He was possessed of a large amount of real and personal property for that day as evidenced by the fact that his wife, was required to give bond for as much as 2000 pounds. He died January 1632. His will was dated December 1632 and proved February 12, 1632/3.
M. Anne, daughter of John Reve of Gosfield Essex County at St. Mary's Church in Bocking Essex County, August 8, 1611.
Sole executrix to her father's will 1633 and to her son Nathaniel 1649. After her husband's death she accompanied four of her sons to the New World and was living with her son Joseph in Hartford, Connecticut in 1669.

His sons

Thomas Fitch
Rev. James
Samuel
Joseph

b. October 14, 1612
M. Anne Stacie, daughter of William Stacie of Bocking on November 1, 1632. He served in the Parliamentary Wars in England and came to America in 1650. He was known as "MR" in 1654. In 1655 Thomas Fitch and Richard Olmstead were appointed by the colony of Norwald to "Look after the Indians". They had under their command eighteen horsemen, four of whom were from Norwalk. They must have had a quieting effect on the Indians as they did not cause the people of Norwalk much trouble until 1675. In 1655, Thomas Fitch was chosen by the town of Norwalk, clerk of their Train Band and confirmed as "Recorder of Laws" by the General Court February 26, 1659. He was Selectman in 1659, King's Commissioner in 1669 and every year thereafter for twenty-five years. He was Deputy to the General Court in 1673, 1676, 1680-86, 1691-2, and 1694 and Deputy Governor of Connecticut. At the town meeting held December 28, 1686, the "Towne did vote Mr. Thomas Fitch for to be seated in the upper, great round seat in the Meeting House as he is the King's Commissioner".

Rev. James Fitch

Born in Bocking, Essex County on December 24, 1622. He was the first of the four brothers to come to America, arriving in 1638 aged sixteen years as stated on the inscription of gravestone in the old cemetary in Lebanon, Connecticut. He finished his theological training under the Reverend Thomas Hooker and Reverend Samuel Stone. Cotton Mather placed the Reverend James in his second class of New England ministers, consisting of "young scholars whose education for their designed ministry not being finished, came over from England with their friends and had their education perfected in this country before the college was old enough in maturity to bestow its laurels". Rev. James Fitch was ordained at Saybrook, Connecticut in 1646 as the first minister of the newly founded church. The ceremony a Congregational ordination in the strictest sense of the term, was graced by the presence of Rev. Hooker and Rev. Stone. In May 1659, the people of Saybrook signed a petition making application to the General Court of Connecticut for permission to found a new settlement, at Norwich. This permission was granted. There was a good deal of contention as to whether Rev. James Fitch would go to Norwich or remain at Saybrook as he was greatly beloved by both sides. After solemn prayer and great deliberation, he decided to go with the majority and considered such as his duty. This left Saybrook without a pastor for over ten years. In his later years the Rev. James Fitch retired to Lebanon Connecticut which he founded in 1702 and named in memory of the "lofty Cedars of Lebanon" famed in the Bible as being used by Solomon to build the Temple.

Samuel Fitch	Mentioned in his father's will of 1632 and that of his brother Nathaniel in 1648. The earliest positive record of him is that he was engaged in 1650 to keep the school of Hartford for three years beginning January 1, 1649/50 and was a freeman in 1651. He is spoken of as "MR" which proves that he ranked as a gentleman. Like his brothers he was prominent in local affairs. He was representative to the General Court 1654-55, He married Mrs. Susannah Whiting, widow of "Worshipful Mr. William Whiting" of Hartford Connecticut. He died in 1659.
Joseph Fitch	Mentioned in his father's will of 1632 and that of his brother Nathaniel in 1648. He was the youngest of four brothers. He settled in Norwalk with his oldest brother Thomas but remained there only three years. He sold his property to Mark St. John (Sention) and went from Norwalk to Northampton, Massachusetts in 1655, and then back to Hartford in 1660. He married Mary Stone, youngest daughter of the Rev. Samuel Stone. Before 1672, he removed to Windsor, Conn. where he purchased a twentieth part of the town. He was alive in 1713. He was Representative to the General Council 1662-1668. His farm was situate near the boundary lines of the present towns of East Hartford and East Windsor, Connecticut. One of his descendants was Lieutenant John Fitch of steam boat fame.

There has been much uncertainty as to the exact date of the arrival of these four Fitch brothers and their Mother in America. Samuel and Joseph are mentioned in the will of their brother Nathaniel in 1648 as living in England. Thomas, Samuel and Joseph are on Colonial Records of 1650 so apparently they came sometime between 1648 and 1650. James came first in 1638. Thomas and Joseph are among the founders of Norwalk. Joseph was living with his mother in Hartford on October 21, 1669 and Samuel is mentioned as a school teacher in Hartford, Connecticut.

This material is taken from the "History of the Fitch Family" compiled by Roscoe Conkling Fitch and published by the Fitch Family on March 11, 1930.

REVEREND JAMES FITCH

b. December 24, 1622 — Bocking Essex County, England, son of Thomas Fitch and and Anne Reeve.

d. November 18, 1702 — Lebanon, Connecticut, aged 80 years.

m. October, 1648 — 1. Abigail Whitfield who died September 9, 1659 at Saybrook, Connecticut.

c. August 2, 1649
1. Major James Fitch

August 1650
2. Abigail, m. Capt. John Mason. Two children.

January 1651/2
3. Elizabeth, m. Rev. James Taylor, September 5, 1674, had eight children, most of whom died young. She died in 1689.

September 1653
4. Hannah, m. Thomas Meeks (Mix) of New Haven, Connecticut, June 30, 1679. Lived in Norwich. Had nine children.

April 16, 1655
5. Samuel (Record follows)

April 1658
6. Dorothy — was second wife of Nathaniel Bissell of Windsor, Connecticut. Had two children. She died June 28, 1691.

m. — 2. Priscilla Mason (she was living in 1710.)

c. August 16, 1665
7. Captain Daniel Fitch

January 1667
8. Captain John Fitch

9. Captain Jeremiah Fitch

April 1672
10. Rev. Jabez Fitch

April 1675
11. Anne, m. Lt. Joseph Bradford, only son of Major William Bradford of Plymouth by his second wife. Settled at Norwich but removed to Lebanon, Connecticut. No children.

October 1679
12. Captain Nathaniel Fitch

November 1681
13. Joseph Fitch

May 14, 1683
14. Deacon Eleazer Fitch

MAJOR JAMES FITCH (1)

b. August 2, 1647/9 — Born at Saybrook, Conn. Founded Canterbury, Conn. Eldest son of Rev. James Fitch. One of the most prominent of the colonists. He was land surveyor; land registrar, land speculator; land owner, distinguished soldier, magistrate, statesman, and champion of the people. One of the founders and earliest patrons of Yale University.

m. — 1. Elizabeth Mason, daughter of Major John Mason.

c. January 1678
1. James, died young.

June 1679
2. James, died early, unmarried.

3. Jedediah, settled in Nantucket, Mass. and left descendants.

July 12, 1683
4. Samuel, Left descendants.

5. Elizabeth

m. — 2. Mrs. Alice Bradford Adams, widow of Rev. William Adams and daughter of Deputy-Governor William and Alice Richards Bradford, and a grand-daughter of Governor William Bradford of the Mayflower.

c.	February 22, 1688	6. Abigail, m. Col. Dyer of Canterbury, Conn.
	January 10, 1690	7. Ebenezer, m. Bridget Brown September 18, 1712.
	February 1693	8. Daniel
	1695	9. John Stiles pg. 262
	1697	10. Bridget
	1699	11. Jerusha m. Daniel Bissell
	1701	12. William
	1703	13. Col. Jabez, had a son Jabez. RCF pg. 52, Vol. II

SAMUEL FITCH — Second son, fifth child of Reverend James & Abigail Fitch

b. April 16, 1655

d.

m. November 28, 1678 — Mary Brewster, daughter of Benjamin Brewster, granddaughter of Jonathan Brewster and great granddaughter of Elder William Brewster of the Mayflower.

c.	March 10, 1679/80	1. Mary
	October 5, 1681	2. Samuel, died young.
	January 7, 1683	3. Hezekiah
	February 15, 1684	4. Elizabeth
	February 1, 1686	5. Abigail
	November 28, 1688	6. Samuel
	March 29, 1691	7. Deacon Benjamin
	May 17, 1693	8. John
	June 3, 1695	9. Jabez
	February 18, 1698	10. Pelatiah

CAPTAIN DANIEL FITCH — Third son, seventh child of Rev. James Fitch. He settled at New London (at a place now known as Montville, Conn.)

b. August 16, 1665

d. June 3, 1711 — He was an active soldier in the Indian wars of his day, owned three farms, one at Dry Brook, one lying on both sides of. "the Connecticut path" (the road to Hartford through Colchester) and a homestead at Trading Cove, which was the town grant to his father.

m. March 1698 — Mary Sherwood. She was either the widow or daughter of Cap't. Matthew Sherwood of Fairfield, Connecticut, who married Mary Fitch, the daughter of Thomas Fitch I of Norwalk. Mary Fitch Sherwood is named in the will of Thomas Fitch I.

c.	April 1700	1. Cap't. Adonijah who married Anne Dennison, lived in Lebanon.
	October 18, 1702/3	2. Cap't James
	January 1704	3. Lemuel
	September 1707	4. Mary, m. in 1726 to Rev. James Hillhouse, first minister to Montville, Conn. and probably ancestor of all that name in this country. m. sec. Rev. John Owen, of Groton, Conn. in 1740. She died in 1768.
		5. Daniel, m. November 16, 1732, Sarah Sherwood, daughter of Samuel Sherwood of Stratford, now Bridgeport, Connecticut.

CAPTAIN JOHN FITCH
b. January 1667
d. May 24, 1743
age 75.

He received from his father, May 13, 1696, the gift of a thousand acres right in Windham, Conn., the home lot of which was # 13 at the center, and the house built by him remained in the family over one hundred years. He had a superior education for that day and was a prominent and useful citizen. He was chosen Town Clerk of Windham, Dec. 4, 1704 which office he held by successive annual re-elections until his death, a period of 38 years. Also for a short time he was Judge of the Probate Court, Captain of the militia, and represented the town in the Colonial Legislature at 20 different sessions. He first "owned the Covenant" in the Norwich church of which he was a full member in 1700. He was a gentleman of wealth, high social position, and great influence. He married Elizabeth Waterman, eldest daughter of Thomas and Miriam Tracy Waterman of Norwich, Conn. He was 75 years old when he died. She died June 25, 1751 at the age of 76.

m.

c. June 6, 1696

1. Elizabeth, m. Nathaniel Webb of Windham, Conn., son of Samuel Webb, the first Windham settler of that name, and became the ancestor of the Windham and Scotland, Conn. Webb families.
2. Miriam, m. Hezekiah Riley of Windham. Died in 1744. No children.
3. Priscilla, m. Samuel Paine of Canterbury, Connecticut.
4. Captain John Fitch II. He married in 1731, his second cousin Alice Fitch, daughter of Ebenezer Fitch of Windsor, Connecticut, granddaughter of Major James Fitch and great granddaughter of Reverend James Fitch. He died February 19, 1760 aged 54 years and eleven months.

CAPTAIN JEREMIAH FITCH

Ancestor of the Coventry, Columbia, Andover, Willimat and Bolton, Connecticut, Fitch families. He settled at Lebanon where lands were granted him soon after his marriage. He lived there until 1703, when he moved and settled on lands now included in South Coventry. This home was still in possession of his descendants in 1886. It was a beautiful and excellent farm near the river and included a large slice of the Williamantic meadows. He was a noted land surveyor and surveyed much of the towns of Lebanon, Coventry and some of Windham. In October, 1708, he was commissioned Captain of the second company of militia in Lebanon. In 1723, he was chosen selectman of the town of Coventry and held this position for 6 years, the last time was 1735. He represented the town in the General Assembly during ten sessions, 1725-1734, and was esteemed by his contemporaries. He lived to be 65. Married Ruth Gifford of Norwich. Ruth Gifford survived him and was living in 1756.

m.

ch. 1707/8

1. Lietutenant Jeremiah
2. Lucy (twins) born in Lebanon, Connecticut.
3. Ruth, m. Daniel Whitmore of Coventry, Connecticut.
4. Hannah, m. Humphrey Davenport of Coventry 6/9/1726

CAPTAIN JEREMIAH FITCH (Continued)

5. Cap't Abner, born in Lebanon.
6. Gideon, probably born in Coventry.
7. Elisha, born in Coventry, executor of father's will.
8. James, born in Coventry.
9. Joseph, born in Coventry.
10. Stephen, born in Coventry. m. Eleanor Strong, January 24, 1837 and probably moved to Willimantic. (This date must be 1737, although it is 1837 in the book.)

REV. JABEZ FITCH

b. April 1672 — Graduated at Harvard in 1694. After his father became disabled by paralysis, he was invited to occupy the pulpit with a view to settlement. After preaching in Norwich about a year, he declined the call and was subsequently elected a Tutor and Fellow of Harvard and in 1703 was ordained at Ipswich, Mass., as a colleague of Rev. John Rogers. He afterwards removed to Portsmouth, N.H. where he was installed about 1725.

m. July 25, 1704 — Elizabeth Appleton of Ipswich.

c. August 16, 1705	1. Elizabeth
August 18, 1709	2. John, died Oct. 26, 1736
June 19, 1712	3. James died January 2, 1721/2
November 15, 1715	4. Margaret
July 19, 1718	5. Anne
October 3, 1721	6. James
March 24, 1724	7. Mary, m. Francis Cabot

CAP'T NATHANIEL FITCH — He was one of the earliest settlers of Lebanon, Connecticut, where he owned a grist mill and a fulling machine. Died at the age of 79 years. Married Ann Abel, daughter of Joshua Abel of Norwich. She died at the age of 47 years, July 3, 1721.

b. October 1679

d. May 4, 1759

m. December 10, 1701

c. November 1702	1. Anne
February 13, 1704	2. Joshua
March 29, 1705	3. Latham
February 10, 1708	4. Nehemiah
October 15, 1709	5. James
January 7, 1712	6. John, settled at Lebanon, Connecticut.
May 14, 1714	7. Nathaniel
February 3, 1717	8. Mehitable
May 26, 1718	9. Elizabeth m. - - - - - Bissell.
October 1720	10. Rachel
November 22, 1722	11. Abel
June 17, 1725	12. Caleb
m. September 17, 1729	2. Mindwell Tisdale
c. October 4, 1730	13. Jabez d. Nov. 14, 1730
March 11, 1732	14. Ezekiel living in 1755
May 10, 1734	15. Isaac.Was joint executor with his mother of his father's will.

JOSEPH FITCH

b. November 1681 — He settled at Stonington, Connecticut, but after his second marriage moved to Lebanon, Connecticut where he spent the remainder of his life. He appears to have been a man of wealth.

m. — 1. Sarah Mason who died before 1721.

c.
1. Judith, born at Stonington, Connecticut.
2. Sarah, in Stonington, Connecticut.
3. Mason, graduated from Yale 1729; Died 3/10/1734.
4. Cap't Joseph who married Zervia Hyde of Lebanon, Connecticut. Died leaving no children.

b. January 24, 1704
September 11, 1708
February 11, 1711

m. December 29, 1721 — 2. Ann, eldest daughter of Rev. Sanuel Whiting of Windham, Connecticut. She died September 18, 1778.

c. January 16, 1724
5. Samuel at Lebanon, Connecticut. Graduated from Yale 1742; was a lawyer in Boston. M. Elizabeth Lloyd. Was an Attorney General in Massachusetts. Was a Royalist during the Revolution. Died in London, England in 1784.

August 29, 1726
6. Col. Eleazer, graduated from Yale. Settled in Windham, Connecticut. Was High Sheriff and a Royalist during the Revolution.

November 7, 1728
7. Cap't Azel

May 17, 1734
8. Lt. Ichabod.

July 12, 1737
9. Ann

June 11, 1739
10. Thomas, who died Jan. 2, 1747.

DEACON ELEAZER FITCH

b. May 14, 1683

d. about 1747

m. — Martha Brown, his first cousin. She was the daughter of Cap't John and Anne Mason Brown of Swanzey, Massachusetts. He settled in Lebanon where he was a deacon. His wife survived him to whom he left his property. There were no children.

CAP'T JOHN FITCH II — Son of Cap't John Fitch I — grandson of Reverend James Fitch.

b. March 18, 1705

d. February 19, 1760 — Aged 54 years and eleven months.

m. 1731 — His second cousin and daughter of Ebenezer Fitch, granddaughter of Major James Fitch, Alice Fitch.

c.
1. July 14, 1732 — John Fitch III
2. October 7, 1734 — Alice
3. November 30, 1736 — Ebenezer, m. Chloe Kingsbury, May 4, 1760
4. April 9, 1739 — Cap't James, m. Anne Hulburt
5. June 9, 1741 — Miriam
6. October 4, 1743 — Elizabeth
7. January 8, 1746 — Rev. Elijah, Died 1788.
8. March 2, 1748 — Jabez
9. March 26, 1753 — Lucy
10. Eunice.

THE FITCH FAMILY

Sir Thomas Fitch, son of Thomas, was born in 1562. I have the line back to 1294 to John Fitch who was living in Fitch Castle in the Parish of Widdington in the northwest part of Essex at that time.

The name has been written in those days: Ffytch, Fytch, Fytche and Ffytche.

The family came from Germany about 530 AD. Some of this is doubtful

Sir Thomas Fitch was created a baronet by Patent # 905. History speaks of him as a judge of distinction and he was a personal friend of Blackstone, called the father of English Law. I can't locate the date of the patent; it was around 1200 AD (See records in the Herald's office, London, England.) Sir Thomas Fitch, born 1590, died 1632, married Anna Reeve, August 16, 1611. Five sons and a widowed mother came to America, landing in Boston, later settled in Connecticut in 1634 — some historians say 1638.

His sons: Thomas of Norwalk, Governor of Connecticut 1754-1766
Reverend James
Samuel of Hartford, schoolteacher
Joseph of Windsor; he is the grandfather of John Fitch, inventor of the steamboat.
John of Windsor

I. Reverend James Fitch, born in Bocking, England, County Essex, December 24, 1622; died in Norwich, Connecticut. His church still stands there. He first married Abigail Whitfield, on October 1648. She died on September 9, 1659. In October, 1664 he married Priscilla Mason, daughter of Captain John Mason. (See early history of Norwich, Connecticut.) I have a photo copy of Reverend James and Major James from that.)

Major James Fitch, born in Saybrook, Connecticut, August 2, 1649. He died at Canterbury, Connecticut, November 10, 1727. Married first Elizabeth Mason, youngest daughter of Major John Mason. She died October 8, 1678. Second, he married on May 8, 1687, Alice, eldest daughter of Major Wm. F. Bradford and grand daughter of Governor Bradford. She was the widow of Reverend William Adams of Dedham, Massachusetts.

II. Captain John Fitch born January 1667-8, married Elizabeth Waterman, July 10, 1695. He died May 24, 1743. Elizabeth died January 25, 1761.

III. John, son of Captain John, born March 18, 1704-5. Married Alice Fitch on June 25, 1731. Alice was born January 30, 1713. John was a cousin of her father. She was the daughter of Ebenezer Fitch, born January 10, 1689-90 who settled in Windsor, Conn. He married Bridget Brown who afterward married John Perry of Ashford, Conn.

IV. John Fitch, Jr., eldest son of Captain John and Alice (Fitch) Fitch, and grandson of Captain John Fitch and Elizabeth Waterman was born in Windham, July 14, 1732. He graduated from Yale and in November 1753, he married Mercy Lathrop. He died in 1755 at the age of twenty-three years, leaving a daughter Alice born January 1, 1755 and a posthumous son John born January 11, 1756 at Canturbury, Connecticut.
(Reference Yale College Biography - - - class of 1753)

V. John Fitch was born January 11, 1756 at Canterbury, Connecticut. There is no authentic record of his wife's name or marriage; tradition says he married twice. The Hartford, Connecticut records tell of the appointment of John Fitch of Canterbury, on May 25, 1777 to Lieutenant Commissary Department of the Connecticut State troops. He assigned his title to a grant of land, now the old homestead, to his two sons, Gideon and Nathaniel, who were half-brothers. The assignment is on file at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania State Capitol and signed by a mark; he could not write. The above is important for reference and is indisputable. This is John Fitch, father of Gideon and Nathaniel. Also note that his grandmother was Alice Fitch. See her line following. Mayflower descendants.

Children of Alice and John Fitch II

1.	John III	born July 14, 1732
2.	Alice	Oct. 7, 1734
3.	Ebenezer	Nov.30, 1736
4.	Cap't James	Apr. 9, 1739
5.	Miriam	June 9, 1741
6.	Elizabeth	Oct. 4, 1743
7.	Rev. Elijah	Jan. 8, 1746
8.	Jabez	Mar. 2, 1748
9.	Lucy	Mar. 26, 1753
10.	Eunice	

This grant was given Connecticut settlers and stockholders of the Connecticut Company after they had been evicted from their original lands in Wyoming Valley after a civil war of about twenty years duration. (See early history (colonial) of the Pennamite Wars.) By an act of the Pennsylvania Legislature in 1799, known as the Pennamite Act, and equal amount of land north of the Lackawanna River was granted to the disposed holders. This land was not nearly so good, and it was outside the hard coal belt. This, notwithstanding the king of England's grant to the Connecticut Company, is dated fourteen years before the grant by the king to William Penn. John Fitch was so put out that he refused to ever live on the land given to him. Giving it to his sons, Gideon and Nathaniel, he went back to Connecticut and died there in 1815. (See early history of Wyoming Valley.) There was much litigation over this title. It was tried once in New Jersey. Judge Jenkins and other leading lawyers of that day were on hand and proved that their grant ante-dated Penn's grant by fourteen years. They showed their deed from the Iriquois Indians whereby they paid them a certain number of fish hooks, beads and red flannel. (This so called Albany deed is in the museum at Philadelphia. An old Indian Chief signed it by a mark in the sheepskin, having dipped his whole hand in ink and placed it on the deed.) After all this was proven, the attorney for the Quakers got up and said that the king gave you the land first but he gave it to us last. Therefore it is ours, for according to English law at that time, the king alone had the right to change his mind - - - and the court or commission so heed.

THE FITCH FAMILY PICTURE TAKEN IN 1884

STANDING

Perry Fitch, Mathias Fitch, Irvin Franklin Stratton, Ida Fitch, Allen Monroe Hartzell, Amos Fitch, Levi Beers, and Jerome Gloyd

SEATED

Sarah Elizabeth Fitch, Frances Vandolah Fitch holding her youngest child Beatrice Fitch, Althea Fitch, Harvey Fitch holding his first child Audrey Fitch, Sarah Elizabeth Fitch Stratton, Emma Fitch Hartzell, Nancy Hunter Fitch with Gladys Fitch, Jane Fitch Beers holding Bertha Beers and Fitelia Fitch Gloyd with Otis Gloyd.

Front Group of Girls are: Stella and Della Gloyd — Bessie Fitch and Margarite Beers.

The Teen Age Boys are left, Schuyler Fitch and William Fitch; right, David Fitch

The Boys in the picture include Kenneth and LeRoy Beers, John and Walter Fitch and the sons of Perry Fitch - Oliver, George, Bert Kelsey and Frank.

Francelia Fitch Fair lived in Kansas in 1884. Charles and Allen Fitch were living in Iowa.

THE SIX SISTERS

SEATED

Francelia Fitch Fair, Jane Fitch Beers, Fitelia Fitch Gloyd, Emma Fitch Hartzell

STANDING

Sarah Elizabeth Fitch Stratton and Ida Fitch Mason

FIVE BROTHERS

David Fitch, Allen Fitch, Harvey Fitch, Amos Fitch and Charles Fitch.

This Picture was taken in South St. Paul, Minnesota.

THE FOUR GENERATIONS

Sarah Elizabeth Fitch, her oldest child Perry Fitch, her first grandson William Seymour Fitch and her first great grandchild, Victor Fitch.

SARAH ELIZABETH FITCH and THIRTY-ONE GRANDCHILDREN

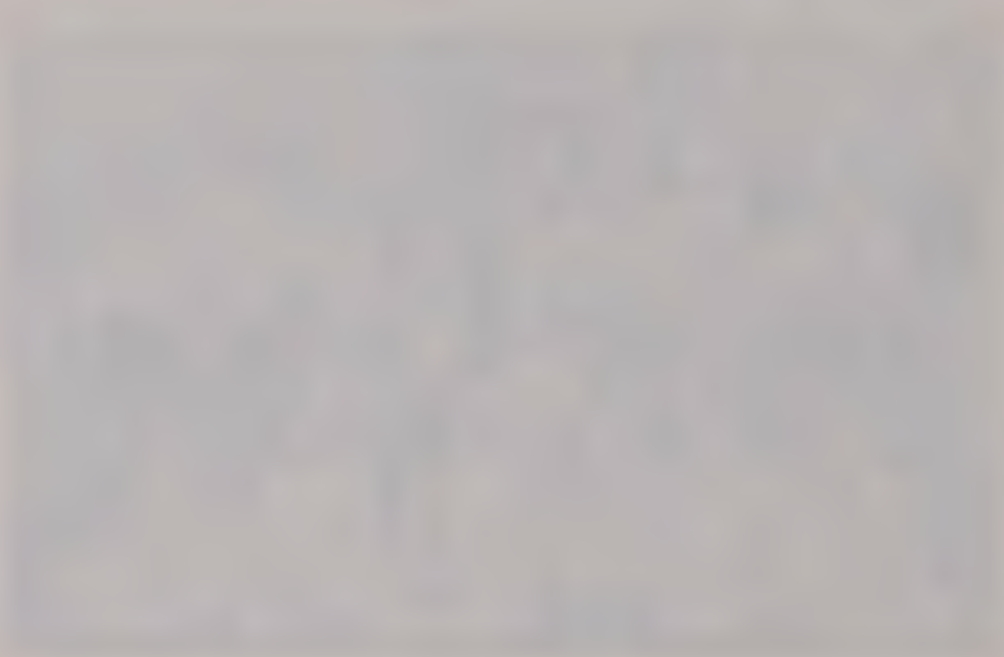
FIRST ROW — Marguerette Fitch, Cecil Fitch, Marguerite Stratton, Marie Fitch, Helen Fitch and Helen Stratton

SECOND ROW — Bert C. Fitch, William Fitch, Sarah Elizabeth Fitch, Earnest Fitch, Schuyler Fitch, John Fitch, Kelsey Fitch and Burgess Fitch

THIRD ROW — Bessie Fitch Kell, Audrey Fitch, Pearl Fitch, Stella Gloyd, Hurshel Fitch, Nina Fitch, Gladys Fitch and Della Gloyd.

FOURTH ROW — Frank Fitch, Parker Fitch, Beatrice Fitch, George Fitch, Althea Fitch, Rolland Fitch, Otis Gloyd, Claude Fitch, Norma Gloyd and Harold Stratton

This Picture was taken in 1905 at the Fitch Home where the grandmother lived. It was the 4th of July and the fourth Fitch Family Reunion.



The Progenitors

FIRST ROW

Emma Fitch Hartzell, David Fitch, Francelia Fitch Fair,
Fitelia Fitch Gloyd (The Twins)

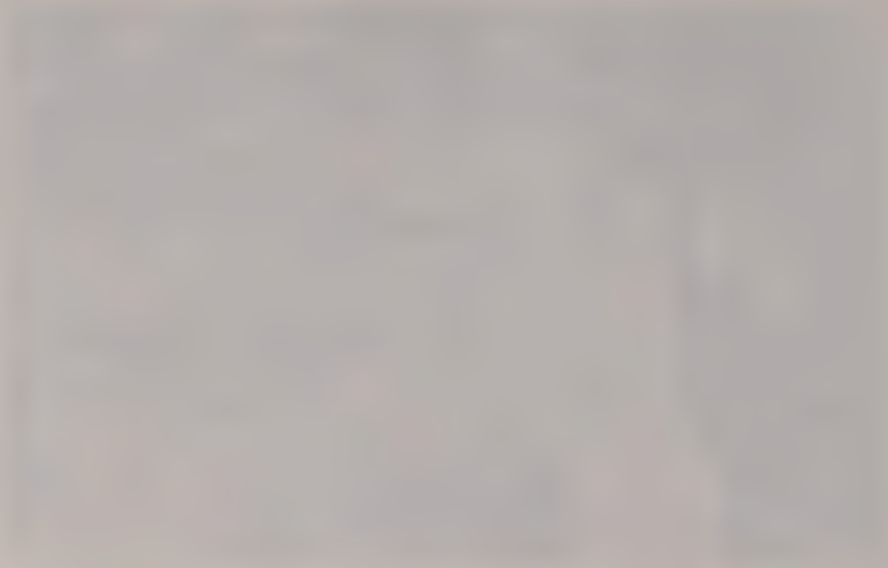
SECOND ROW

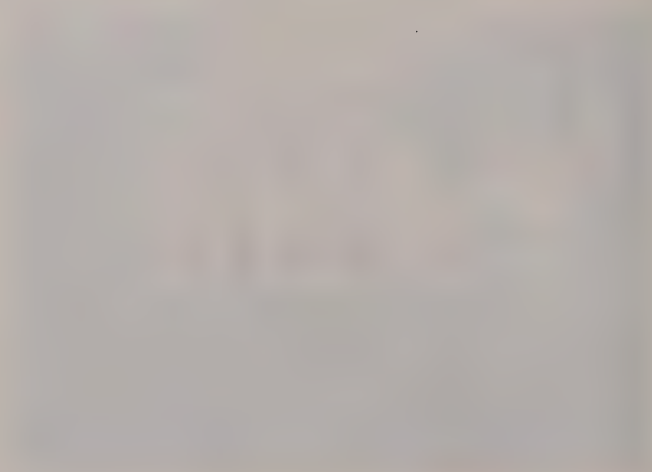
Amos Fitch, Sarah Elizabeth Fitch Stratton, Jane Fitch Beers,
Ida Fitch Mason and Mathias Fitch

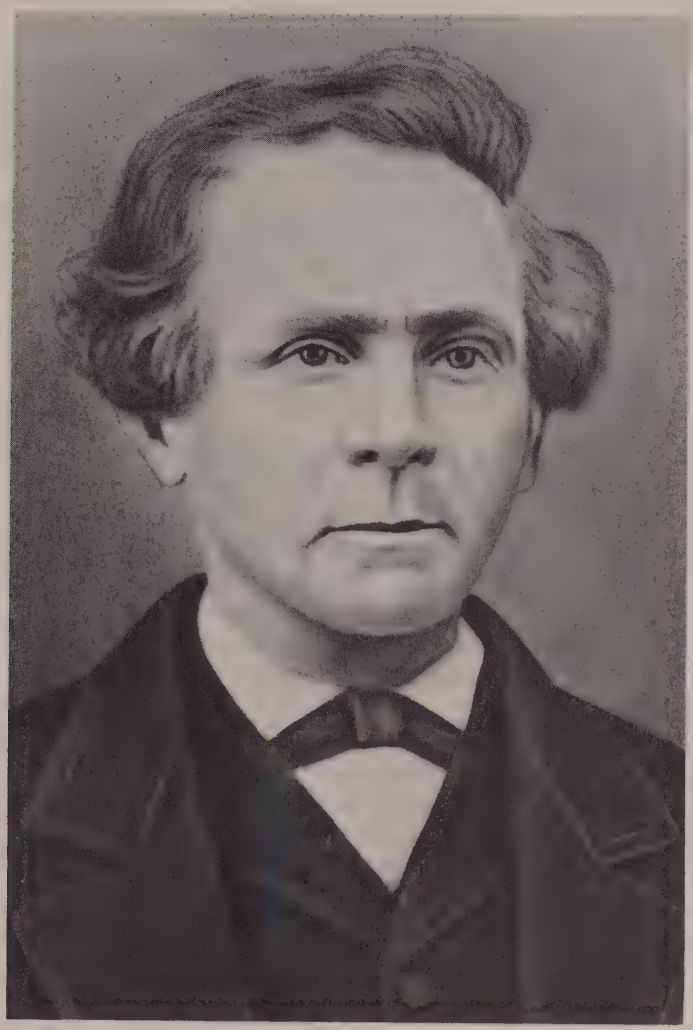
This Picture was taken on July 4th, 1914 at the 13th Fitch Reunion held at the Perry Fitch Home in DeKalb County, Indiana. Kenneth Beers was the photographer.

THE OLD FITCH HOMESTEAD

THE FITCH TOMBSTONE







NATHANIEL and SARAH ELIZABETH DELONG FITCH

NATHANIEL FITCH

Nathaniel Fitch came empty-handed to the wilderness. Astute and intelligent, he had learned for himself numerous trades being blacksmith, gunsmith, locksmith, with which he speedily made himself indispensable. Starting from Pennsylvania with but 15 cents in his pocket, a bandana handkerchief with all his worldly possessions, and a rifle which he considered an essential part of his equipment, he was obliged to walk, and earn his board en route. His life had already been full of adventure. Before he came to Indiana he had been shot in the leg during a wolf hunt; and again while crossing Lake Erie on a side-wheel steamer, their ship was caught in a gale, and one shaft disabled. In this predicament, in which ruin seemed inevitable, they were saved by the stratagem of breaking the other shaft. Not only the wild beast inhabited the forests at the time when Nathaniel set up his forge, but Indians were still very numerous, and though subdued, were by no means fully civilized. On one occasion he was obliged to ask an Indian, who had a gun to mend, to wait, whereat the Indian became enraged and sprang at him with a knife drawn. Mr. Fitch was sharpening a shovel at the moment, and an old story quaintly states that the Indian would probably been hurt with the shovel had not the chief, Chopine, intervened.

Among other notable things recorded to Mr. Fitch's credit is his work for the canal, for which he made all the iron used in the locks from Fort Wayne to the Wabash River.

He was married in 1840 to Sarah Elizabeth DeLong, the daughter of George and Elizabeth DeLong. This marriage was the first celebrated after the organization of Perry Township, and within the township borders. He was a self-made blacksmith, and a man of all-around ability, whose forge was the first to be set up in Perry Township, the date being 1837. Mr. Fitch developed one of the excellent farms of the county, was active in community affairs and served for a number of years as township trustee. He was about seventy years of age at the time of his death and his widow, one of the gracious and revered pioneer women of the county, attained to the venerable age of ninety years.

Nathaniel Fitch eventually became one of the largest landholders in the county, owning 2,300 acres of land besides which he became owner of lands in Iowa. He was one of the most vigorous and ambitious of the pioneers of Allen County and in addition to his farm industry and his work as a blacksmith, owned and operated a saw mill near the DeKalb County line and developed also a substantial wool-carding business. He was especially well known for his great pedestrian powers, and he almost invariably made trips to and from his farm to Fort Wayne on foot.

Fifteen children were born to Nathaniel and Sarah, thirteen of whom out-lived their parents, who reared them in comfort while amassing a large property.

Perry Centre Seminary, was an institution founded in 1856 by Nathaniel Fitch, Jacob Kell and George B. Gloyd, and notwithstanding its short existence, bore strong witness to the quality of Perry Township people. It was a flourishing institution for five years, during which time it gave a start to men and women who have since made a name for themselves and the township. At the breaking out of the Civil War, the seminary faculty and all its adult students enlisted, which was praiseworthy and has happened to other schools with like result, namely, it was deserted and at the close of the war its scattered pupils were grown up or had found other openings. It was too late to resuscitate the once promising educational center. The building went to decay, and is only remembered by what it has done.

From THE PICTORIAL HISTORY OF FORT WAYNE, INDIANA by Bert Griswold
VALLEY OF THE UPPER MAUMEE
HISTORY OF ALLEN COUNTY

Later notes say Seymour & John came to Indiana and took sick & died, but it is recorded on the gravestone that Seymour is buried in PA and died in 1855 — tho this says 1835.

DESCENDANTS OF NATHANIEL AND SARAH KEELER FITCH

NAME	BORN	DIED	MARRIED
1. Seymour	Sept. 3, 1802	July 19, 1855	Elix. Johnson
2. Giles	July 9, 1804	Oct. 14, 1890	Emily Goodale
3. Nathaniel	July 9, 1806	Jan. 1, 1877	Sarah Elizabeth DeLong
4. Morgan	Mar. 8, 1809	Dec. 14, 1888	Mary Ann Wiliams
5. Spencer	July 21, 1811	Oct. 4, 1895	Elizabeth Sickler
6. Abigail	Mar. 2, 1814	Mar. 18, 1851	Jacob Sickler
7. John	Apr. 16, 1816	Nov. 26, 1841	
8. Perry	July 7, 1818	July 23, 1838	
9. Sarah	Apr. 6, 1821	Jan. 8, 1890	John Sickler
10. Nancy	Aug. 4, 1823	July 15, 1875	Elija Jenkins (1.) Newman Miller (2.)
11. Allen	Feb. 28, 1826	Sept. 28, 1855	Lydia Beemer
12. Mary (Polly)	June 26, 1828		Sanford Siglax (1.) Christian Deubler (2.)

DESCENDANTS OF NATHANIEL AND SARAH ELIZABETH DELONG FITCH

1. Perry	Jan. 6, 1842	Apr. 14, 1900	Sarah Elizabeth Gloyd
2. Mathias	Jan. 16, 1843	Dec. 10, 1923	Francis Vandolah
3. Mary Jane	Oct. 15, 1844	Mar. 17, 1925	Levi Beers
4. Charles	Mar. 29, 1846	Aug. 21, 1925	Louann Club
5. Nancy	Mar. 16, 1848	Sept. 1, 1848	
6. Amos	June 11, 1849	Nov. 9, 1935	Nancy Elizabeth Hunter
7. Fitelia &	Apr. 10, 1851	Jan. 8, 1935	Jerome Dorsey Gloyd
8. Francelia	Apr. 10, 1851	Dec. 29, 1937	Christian Norman Fair
9. Harvey	July 15, 1853	Sept. 13, 1948	Permelia Etta Parker
10. Sarah Elizabeth	Mar. 29, 1855	Aug. 4, 1958	Irvin Franklin Stratton
11. Allen	Feb. 21, 1857	Dec. 19, 1952	Emma Lewillian Green
12. Ida Alice	Oct. 25, 1858	Dec. 14, 1945	Melville Arthur Mason
13. Emeline	Feb. 1, 1861	Aug. 28, 1949	Allen Monroe Hartzell
14. John Edward	Feb. 14, 1864	May 19, 1870	
15. David Nathaniel	Feb. 13, 1865	April 4, 1950	Emma Belle Stirlen

PERRY FITCH FAMILY

FRONT ROW

Claude Fitch, Pearl Fitch, Fred Fitch and Victor Fitch, Grandchildren.

SECOND ROW

Etta Fitch, Oliver's wife holding Mable Fitch
Perry Fitch and Wife Sarah Elizabeth Gloyd Fitch
Lucinda Fitch, Wife of William Fitch
Anne Fitch, Wife of Bert C. Fitch holding Ivan Fitch

THIRD ROW

Oliver Fitch, Kelsey Fitch, George Fitch, William Fitch, Bert C. Fitch and Frank Fitch

This Picture was taken in 1899 at the Perry Fitch Home in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind.

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PERRY FITCH, the eldest son of Nathaniel Fitch and Sarah Elizabeth Delong married Sarah, daughter of George and Magdalena Gloyd and reared eight of their twelve children.

Mr. Fitch was twelve years a Justice of the Peace. Their Home was in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Indiana.

(1) PERRY FITCH B. JAN. 6, 1842 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. APRIL 14, 1900. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON MAY 12, 1864 TO SARAH ELIZABETH GLOYD B. APRIL 9, 1844 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. JUNE 1, 1920. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 11

(2) JAMES L. FITCH B. MAY 16, 1865 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. DEC. 11, 1865.

(2) LEWIS E. FITCH B. NOV. 18, 1866 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. SEPT. 21, 1867.

(2) WILLIAM SEYMOUR FITCH B. SEPT. 3, 1868 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. JULY 5, 1933. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON MARCH 22, 1891 TO LUCINDA VICTORIA DEPOTTY B. FEB. 6, 1872 IN IONA COUNTY, MICH. D. DEC. 4, 1950. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 4

(3) VICTOR WARD FITCH B. FEB. 12, 1893 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON D Dec. 17, 1979 NOV. 29, 1919 TO ESTHER DORIS GALLMEYER B. MAY 21, 1896 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 2

(4) DORIS VIRGINIA FITCH B. FEB. 25, 1922 IN MAPLEWOOD, N.J. M. ON DEC. 25, 1943 TO JOHN STARKWEATHER PENDLETON, JR. B. AUG. 30, 1920 AT WATERBURY, CONN. ISSUE 5

(5) JOHN STARKWEATHER PENDLETON, III, B. AUG. 30, 1945 AT NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

(5) MICHELE LEE PENDLETON B. AUG. 27, 1949 IN BURLINGTON, VT. M. ON JUNE 26, 1971 TO JOSEPH WOODBURY LAWRENCE.

(5) VICTOR FITCH PENDLETON B. SEPT. 7, 1950 IN BURLINGTON, VT.

(5) CRAIG ALDRICH PENDLETON B. AUG. 21, 1952 IN BURLINGTON, VT.

(5) BRIAN PARKS PENDLETON B. APRIL 15, 1959.

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(4) CAROLYN FRANCIS FITCH B. JUNE 15, 1924 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON JUNE 26, 1948 TO CHARLES FRANCES CAROL, JR. (DIVORCED JULY 7, 1952)

CAROLYN FRANCIS FITCH SECOND MARRIAGE ON FEB. 6, 1955 TO GORDON HUBER EVANS B. DEC. 18, 1918 AT CODROY, NEWFOUNDLAND.

(3) FRED WILSON FITCH B. FEB. 27, 1896 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON D. MARCH 16, 1978 NOV. 23, 1917 TO BESSE TIMMERMAN B. JUNE 19, 1897 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. (DIVORCED) ISSUE 10

(4) ALICE JANE FITCH B. SEPT. 7, 1918 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON D. MAY 10, 1978 APRIL 6, 1941 TO RAYMOND GETTY, JR. B. JULY 3, 1914 IN FORT D. Dec. 23, 1977 WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 2

(5) SUSAN ELAINE GETTY B. NOV. 1, 1942 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON MAY 21, 1966 TO ROGER HEAD. ISSUE 1

DAVID ANDREW HEAD B. NOV. 1971 IN YAKIMA, WASH.

(5) MARTHA LOU GETTY B. MAY 27, 1952 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(4) LUCINDA MAY FITCH B. MARCH 12, 1920 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(4) BETTY JEAN FITCH B. DEC. 15, 1923 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON MAY 13, 1942 TO FORREST RICHARDS B. JAN. 20, 1919. ISSUE 2

(5) MICHAEL FORREST RICHARDS B. DEC. 6, 1944 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON SEPT. 16, 1968 TO RUTH ANN FOX B. JULY 14, 1947 IN WOODBURY, NEW JERSEY.

(5) RANDALL RAY RICHARDS B. FEB. 22, 1955 IN ST. PETERSBURG, FLA.

(4) WILLIAM SEYMOUR FITCH II, B. JULY 20, 1925 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(4) RUTH ANN FITCH B. JULY 27, 1928 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON MAY 5, 1946 TO JOHN SANFORD B. MAY 4, 1925 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 3

(5) JOHN STEVEN SANFORD B. FEB. 25, 1947 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON APRIL 8, 1966 TO CAROLYN DEANNA DUNCAN B. FEB. 12,

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1950 IN BLUEFIELD, W. VIR. ISSUE 3

(6) JOHN EDWARD SANFORD B. JAN. 14, 1967 AT JACKSONVILLE, N.C.

(6) RICHARD DWAYNE SANFORD B. FEB. 17, 1968 AT JACKSONVILLE, N.C.

(6) TONY RAY SANFORD B. APRIL 22, 1971 AT JACKSONVILLE, N.C.

(5) LINDA MAE SANFORD B. SEPT. 7, 1950 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) JAMES MELVIN SANFORD B. DEC. 14, 1961 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. D. FEB. 18, 1964. B.P. PLEASANT CEMETERY, FT. WAYNE, IND.

(4) MARY LOU FITCH B. JAN. 19, 1930 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON JAN. 24, 1948 TO EUGENE CLICK B. NOV. 15, 1925 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 3

(5) DIAN CLICK B. MAY 19, 1948 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON TO BARRY BREWER. ISSUE 1

(6) BRAM LEE BREWER B. DEC. 9, 1968 IN CLAYMOUNT, DELA.

(5) THOMAS EUGENE CLICK B. AUG. 26, 1949 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) CHERYL LYNN CLICK B. FEB. 21, 1954 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(4) PATRICIA LEE FITCH B. NOV. 22, 1931 NEAR FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON TO ANTHONY HOLOCHER, JR. B. MAY 9, 1929 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 4

(5) CATHLEEN JANE HOLOCHER B. MAY 22, 1950 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON AUG. 29, 1969 TO MARK WINTER B. APRIL 30, 1948.

(5) DEBORAH KAY HOLOCHER B. FEB. 27, 1953 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) TERRANCE THEODORE HOLOCHER B. FEB. 9, 1960 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) WILLIAM ANTHONY HOLOCHER B. JAN. 22, 1963 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) Beth Ann Holocher B. Oct 9, 1964

(4) KENNETH FITCH B. JUNE 27, 1933 NEAR FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON JUNE 1, 1956 TO SHIRLEY ANN DAVIES B. JAN. 10, 1936 AT MOUNDSVILLE, W. VIR. ISSUE 2

(5) SHARON LEE FITCH B. JULY 31, 1957 IN ST. PETERSBURG, FLA.

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(5) ROBIN SUE FITCH B. MAY 26, 1963 IN ST. PETERSBURG, FLA.

(4) DALE ALLEN FITCH B. JUNE 13, 1935 AT ROANOKE, IND.

(4) JOHN EVAN FITCH B. FEB. 18, 1940 AT ROANOKE, IND. M. ON NOV. 9, 1963 TO SALLY SUE MENZEL B. AUG. 19, 1942 IN CORUNNA, IND. ISSUE 2

(5) BRENTEN DORN FITCH B. APRIL 12, 1964 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) CHRISTOPHER JOHN FITCH B. JAN. 20, 1969 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(3) FRED WILSON FITCH SECOND MARRIAGE OCT. 4, 1944 TO JEANNETTE MAY SMETHERS B. FEB. 12, 1904 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 1
D. June 11, 1972

(4) FRED THOMAS FITCH B. SEPT. 1, 1946 IN DETROIT, MICH. M. TO PATRICIA GAIL HICKS ON JUNE 10, 1972.

(3) FOREST RANOLD FITCH B. SEPT. 22, 1902 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON JUNE 16, 1929 TO VIOLA LA VERNE MAHNENSMITH B. MARCH 31, 1902 IN OSSIAN, IND. ISSUE 3
D. JAN. 29, 1975

(4) LINWOOD RANDALL FITCH B. OCT. 22, 1931 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON DECEMBER 9, 1961 TO DORIS V. BROCK B. JUNE 10, 1929 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 1

(5) DONALD WARREN FITCH B. FEB. 28, 1964 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(4) ROSALIE RUTH FITCH B. NOV. 19, 1933 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON AUG. 6, 1955 TO CLARENCE MONTELL DEWITT III, B. FEB. 11, 1933 AT FLORAL PARK, LONG ISLAND, N.Y. ISSUE 2

(5) JANEY LEE DEWITT B. SEPT. 17, 1956 AT FLORAL PARK, LONG ISLAND, N.Y.

(5) DOUGLAS OWEN DEWITT B. APRIL 29, 1959 IN MILWAUKEE, WISC.

(4) VICTOR KEITH FITCH B. AUG. 30, 1936 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON SEPT. 10, 1961 TO BARBARA JANE LEE B. JULY 12, 1939 IN CONVERSE, IND. ISSUE 2
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(5) KEITH ALAN FITCH B. MAY 24, 1966 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

(5) BRIAN LEE FITCH B. DEC. 22, 1968 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

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(3) HILLIS LUCILLE FITCH B. Feb. 14, 1907 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Sept. 18, 1935 to EDWARD EUCKER B. Nov. 21, 1900 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Divorced. Second marriage to MR. HULA.

(2) OLIVER JASPER FITCH B. Aug. 31, 1871 near New Era, DeKalb County, Ind. D. July 9, 1965. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Nov. 8, 1897 to ETTA M. MERRIMAN B. Aug. 19, 1868 at Valparaiso, Ind. D. Aug. 22, 1901. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 2

(3) MABLE E. FITCH B. Sept. 8, 1898 in DeKalb County. D. June 24, 1903. B.P. Bermingwood, Wisc.

(3) GLENN FITCH B. June 17, 1901 in DeKalb County, Ind. D. July 19, 1901. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

(2) OLIVER JASPER FITCH second marriage on March 29, 1902 to RETTA PAULINA STOKES JENSEN B. Nov. 15, 1870 in Vernon County, Wisc. D. Oct. 23, 1926. B.P. St. James Cemetery, Fullersburg, Ill. Issue 4

(3) LOTTIE LOUISE FITCH B. May 26, 1905 in Bermingwood, Wisc. D. Sept. 8, 1971. B.P. Avilla Cemetery, Avilla, Ind. M. June 3, 1922 to DALE V. KISTLER B. Jan. 17, 1903 in Cromwell, Ind. Issue 3

March 12, 1979

(4) DOROTHY LOUISE KISTLER B. March 16, 1923 near Huntertown, Ind. M. on Dec. 28, 1940 to TED OWEN B. March 1, 1922 in Noble County, Ind. D. Oct. 10, 1964. B.P. Avilla Cemetery, Avilla, Ind. Issue 5

(5) SHERON ANN OWEN B. Jan. 18, 1943 at Garrett, Ind. D. Jan. 19, 1943. B.P. Avilla Cemetery, Avilla, Ind.

(5) WILLIAM FRANCIS OWEN B. Dec. 25. 1944 at Garrett, Ind. M. on April 4, 1971 to KIM BONNIE STRAUB B. May 26, 1950 at Wolf Lake, Ind.

(5) SANDRA LEE OWEN B. Aug. 8, 1947 in Garrett, Ind. M. on July 23, 1966 to NED RAGAN B. May 26, 1946 in Kendallville, Ind.

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(5) LINDA SUE OWEN B. Jan. 18, 1950 at Garrett, Ind. M. on Nov. 2, 1968 to SHELDON LYNN WRIGHT B. Sept. 26, 1948 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(5) STANLEY LYNN OWEN B. Dec. 25, 1956 in Kendallville, Ind.

(4) RONALD PAUL KISTLER B. Dec. 16, 1926 near LaOtto, Ind. M. on Dec. 1, 1951 to MARTHA JEAN TEDERS B. Aug. 31, 1927 in DeKalb County, Ind. D. Jan. 6, 1955. B.P. Avilla Catholic Cemetery

(4) RONALD PAUL KISTLER second marriage on Feb. 12, 1956 to SABINA ELIZABETH BUSCH B. June 29, 1927 in Noble County, Ind. Issue 3

(5) DENISE MARIE KISTLER B. June 23, 1958 at Garrett, Ind.

(5) RONDA SUE KISTLER B. June 23, 1960 at Kendallville, Ind.

(5) GORDON PAUL KISTLER B. June 6, 1964 at Kendallville, Ind.

(4) MARILYN JANE KISTLER B. Jan. 7, 1939 near Avilla, Ind. M. on Aug. 17, 1956 to MAX GAY B. Aug. 16, 1938 in Noble County, Ind. Issue 4

(5) GREGORY ALLEN GAY B. Nov. 1, 1958 in Kendallville, Ind.

(5) PAMELA LYNN GAY B. March 6, 1960 in Kendallville, Ind.

(5) ROGER WAYNE GAY B. Nov. 18, 1962 in Kendallville, Ind.

(5) JEFFREY EUGENE GAY B. June 15, 1966 in Kendallville, Ind.

(3) GLENN FRANKLIN FITCH B. Sept. 12, 1907 at Cashton, Wisc. M. on Oct. 5, 1925 to GLENETH MARIE SNYDER B. March 8, 1909 at Manimore, Ohio. Divorced.

GLENN FRANKLIN FITCH second marriage on Aug. 17, 1937 to EILEEN G. MOSSMAN B. June 12, 1918 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) BERNICE FITCH (adopted). M. on Aug. 4, 1962 to ROBERT O. McCARTHY B. April 13, 1939 at Syracuse, N.Y. Issue 2

(5) DOUGLAS MICHAEL McCARTHY B. Sept. 4, 1966 at Winchester, Mass.

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(5) KEVIN MATTHEW McCARTHY B. JULY 10, 1968 AT WINCHESTER, MASS.

(3) ICEL INEZ FITCH B. SEPT. 10, 1909 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. M. TO ELMER HERMAN BURZLOFF OCT. 8, 1906. D. JAN 1976

(3) CECIL ELBERT FITCH B. SEPT. 10, 1912 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. M. ON NOV. 16, 1935 TO SARAH JOSEPHINE KISTLER B. SEPT. 29, 1910 AT CROMWELL, IND. ISSUE 2

(4) GLENDA LEE FITCH B. NOV. 25, 1938 AT GARRETT, IND. M. ON MAY 11, 1958 TO LARRY EUGENE WALBERRY B. JULY 18, 1938 AT ANGOLA, IND. ISSUE 4

(5) RUSSELL ARDEN WALBERRY B. NOV. 26, 1958 AT ANGOLA, IND.

(5) MARSHALL DENNIS WALBERRY B. NOV. 2, 1959 AT ANGOLA, IND.

(5) TRACY ANN WALBERRY B. JULY 31, 1961 AT ANGOLA, IND.

(5) ANGELA DARLENE WALBERRY B. JAN. 1, 1963 AT HICKSVILLE, OHIO.

(4) RICHARD CECIL FITCH B. APRIL 27, 1946 AT KENDALLVILLE, IND. M. ON AUG. 27, 1966 TO MARIE DONETTE BROWN B. NOV. 13, 1945 AT FORT BRAGG, N. CAR. ISSUE 3

(5) ROBIN LEA FITCH B. JAN. 21, 1968 AT INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

(5) TAMARA LYNN FITCH B. DEC. 11, 1969 AT INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

(5) TIMOTHY RICHARD FITCH B. JULY 8, 1971 AT INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

(2) GEORGE FITCH B. OCT. 14, 1872 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. MAY 19, 1942. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND.

(2) BERT CENTENNIAL FITCH B. JULY 4, 1876 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. MAY 21, 1964. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. M. ON MARCH 16, 1898 TO ANISE MARIA SCHOPF B. MARCH 22, 1875 AT GARRETT, IND. D. DEC. 28, 1930. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 4

(3) IVAN ELIAS FITCH B. MARCH 5, 1899 IN GARRETT, IND. M. ON JULY 18, 1928 TO NINA DAVIS B. OCT. 9, 1895 AT MARION, IND. Oct 22, 1979

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(3) OSCAR FILMORE FITCH B. JULY 10, 1903 AT GARRETT, IND. D. JAN. 3, 1951. B.P. LINDENWOOD CEMETERY, FORT WAYNE, IND. CREMATION. M. ON NOV. 1, 1924 TO MAURINE LITTLE B. JULY 23, 1902 AT GARRETT, IND. ISSUE 2

(4) OSCAR ALAN FITCH B. AUG. 18, 1925 AT GARRETT, IND. M. ON APRIL 30, 1949 TO MATTIE JOAN MAIN B. DEC. 2, 1928 AT NIAGARA FALLS, CANADA

(4) KENNETH DUANE FITCH B. NOV. 7, 1927 AT GARRETT, IND. M. ON OCT. 29, 1949 TO WILMA LOYOLA SMITH B. MAY 24, 1927 AT GARRETT, IND. DIVORCED 1961. ISSUE 2

(5) SUE ANN FITCH B. FEB. 13, 1952 AT GARRETT, IND.

(5) SANDRA JEAN FITCH B. OCT. 11, 1953 AT GARRETT, IND.

(3) THELMA ANISE FITCH B. MARCH 21, 1905 AT GARRETT, IND. M. ON AUG. 14, 1930 TO RALPH W. GRIEST B. DEC. 16, 1898 NEAR LAFAYETTE, IND. D. MARCH 16, 1975 D. JAN. 27, 1960. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND.

(3) FLORETTA MAY FITCH B. DEC. 23, 1906 AT GARRETT, IND. M. ON AUG. 15, 1928 TO GEORGE W. WYATT B. SEPT. 20, 1905 NEAR AUBURN, IND. ISSUE 1 July 8 1976

(4) GEORGE WILLIAM WYATT B. AUG. 7, 1937 AT MONTPELIER, OHIO. D. APRIL 12, 1953. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND.

(2) KELSEY DAVID FITCH B. FEB. 6, 1878 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. OCT. 20, 1946. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON OCT. 20, 1903 TO ARTIE OTTO B. JAN. 21, 1883 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. AUG. 25, 1944. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 4

(3) ERMA MAY FITCH B. OCT. 26, 1904 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. D. FEB. 15, 1960. B.P. LINDENWOOD CEMETERY, FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON JUNE 16, 1925 TO MARION JAMES MORE B. MAY 22, 1902 AT HUNTINGTON, IND.

(4) STEVEN DAVID MORE B. JULY 1, 1944 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. (ADOPTED)

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M. on Sept. 26, 1964 to EMMALEAN DAY B. July 10, 1946 at Cramona, Ky. Issue 1

(5) TRAVIS JAMES MORE B. March 24, 1967 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(3) VERMA FAY FITCH B. Oct. 26, 1904 in Fort Wayne, Ind. D. Oct. 15, 1975 M. on Aug. 30, 1927 to BURL LeROY SMITH B. Aug. 16, 1903 at Claypool, Ind. D. May 3, 1970. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 1

(4) KENNETH FITCH SMITH B. Aug. 14, 1931 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Aug. 7, 1965 to MARILYN ELAINE RODEY B. May 14, 1939 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 1

(5) TERESA LYNN SMITH B. Dec. 10, 1968 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(3) EUGENE FITCH B. Jan. 27, 1912 in Fort Wayne, Ind. D. Jan. 27, 1912. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

(3) RALPH DAVID FITCH B. Jan. 31, 1914 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(2) FRANK EDGAR FITCH B. Sept. 19, 1880 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. D. July 25, 1942. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Nov. 28, 1907 to CARRIE DeLONG B. Jan. 28, 1887 at Hicksville, Ohio. D. March 23, 1966. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 1

(3) FRANCIS JOSEPHINE FITCH B. April 2, 1911 near St. Joe, Ind.

(2) CLAUDE PERRY FITCH B. Oct. 17, 1885 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. D. March 24, 1959. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind. M. Oct. 11, 1911 to EDITH MABEL GELLER B. May 27, 1887 near Fort Wayne, Ind. D. July, 1946. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind.

CLAUDE PERRY FITCH second marriage, Aug. 3, 1947 to MRS. DOTTIE M. TIMBERLIN B. Sept. 30, 1887 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind.

(2) MAUDE FITCH B. Oct. 17, 1885 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. D. Oct., 1885.

(2) PEARL MADORA FITCH B. Jan. 12, 1888 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. D. Jan. 14, 1973 M. on Sept. 4, 1912 to GODFREY J. GLADBACH B. Nov. 27, 1885 in

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Fort Wayne, Ind. D. July 16, 1953. B.P. Covington Gardens, Fort Wayne, Ind.

(3) JOAN GLADBACH (adopted) B. Jan. 24, 1924 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Nov. 16, 1945 to DONALD E. EWING B. Jan. 24, 1919 in Michigan. Issue 1

(4) NED WILLIAM EWING B. Oct. 9, 1949 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on March 12, 1971 to CATHY TELSCHOW B. April 22, 1951.

PERRY FITCH FAMILY

MARRIAGES

THOMAS EUGENE CLICK TO JUDY ELAINE ROWELL, AUGUST 26, 1971.
DEBORAH KAY HOLOCHER TO MICHAEL STEPHEN DAWSON, DECEMBER 1974.
SUE ANN FITCH (DIVORCED 1977) TO GARY D. SHAVER, DECEMBER 13, 1974.
CRAIG PENDLETON TO LILIA PIOL, DECEMBER 10, 1977.
MARTHA LOU GETTY TO MICHAEL LAWRENCE
JANEY LEE DEWITT TO SCOTT D. BELANGER, FEBRUARY 13, 1977.
CHERYL LYNN CLICK TO ROBERT HAMILTON, JR., JUNE 6, 1980.

BIRTHS

JODI LYNN WRIGHT B. APRIL 6, 1972 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. SHELDON WRIGHT.
RYAN WILLIAM OWEN B. FEBRUARY 28, 1973 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. WM. OWEN.
ERIN MICHELLE FITCH B. JUNE 12, 1973 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. VICTOR FITCH.
SHAWN JASON GAY B. FEBRUARY 8, 1975 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. MAX GAY.
BLAKE DAWSON B. MARCH 15, 1975 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL DAWSON.
FRED MATTHEW FITCH B. JUNE 11, 1975 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. THOMAS FITCH.
CHAD LEE RAGAN B. OCTOBER 1975 ADOPTED BY MR. AND MRS. NED RAGAN.
KIRSTEN ELIZABETH HEAD B. FEBRUARY 16, 1976 TO MR. AND MRS. ROGER HEAD.
CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM EWING B. JANUARY 9, 1976 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. NED EWING.
ERIKA ANN LAURENCE B. MARCH 9, 1977 AND KIMBERLY LANGLEY LAURENCE B. APRIL 1, 1979 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH LAURENCE.
MICHAEL FITCH PENDLETON B. APRIL 28, 1979 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. CRAIG PENDLETON.
LAURA JEANETTE FITCH B. DECEMBER 20, 1978 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. THOMAS FITCH.
HOLLY EWING B. DECEMBER 11, 1978 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. NED EWING.
NICOLE DAYLEAN MORE B. MARCH 30, 1974 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. STEVEN MORE.
RENEE CLICK B. SEPTEMBER 4, 1978 AND MICHAEL THOMAS CLICK, B. JANUARY 4, 1980 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. THOMAS E. CLICK.
JOSHUA SETH BELANGER B. APRIL 20, 1980 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. SCOTT D. BELANGER.

DEATHS

JEANETTE SMETHERS FITCH D. JUNE 11, 1972.
BETTY FITCH D. AUGUST 5, 1972.
PEARL FITCH GLADBACH D. JANUARY 14, 1973.
FOREST R. FITCH D. JANUARY 29, 1975.
THELMA GRIEST D. MARCH 16, 1975.

PERRY FITCH FAMILY

DEATHS (Cont'd)

VERMA FITCH D. October 15, 1975.
FRANCES FITCH D. December 6, 1975.
DOTTIE FITCH D. December 9, 1975.
ICEL INEZ BURZLOFF D. January 1976.
GEORGE W. YATT D. July 8, 1976.
RAYMOND GETTY D. December 23, 1977.
FRED FITCH D. March 16, 1978.
ALICE JANE GETTY D. May 10, 1978.
DALE V. KISTLER D. March 17, 1979.
NINA DAVIS FITCH D. October 22, 1979.
VICTOR W. FITCH D. December 17, 1979.

CORRECTIONS

P. 27 TRAVIS JAMES MORE B. March 24, 1967.

P. 21 BETH ANN HOLOCHER B. October 9, 1964 issue of Mr. and Mrs. ANTHONY HOLOCHER.

MATHIAS FITCH was the second son of Nathaniel Fitch and Sarah DeLong. He was born January 16, 1843, in a log cabin near where Nathaniel's large new house was soon to be built. On December 1, 1867, he was united in marriage with Frances, daughter of James and Rebecca Vandolah, also of Perry Township. Frances Vandolah was born February 19, 1843, in Perry Township. They were blessed with nine children, six of which grew to adulthood, Schuyler, John, Walter, Bessie, Altha, and Beatrice.

Mathias farmed 240 acres in Perry Township and made a specialty of raising sheep. He also owned farmland in Iowa. He ran the water-powered saw mill that was on his farm as his father, Nathaniel, had done before him. The saw mill was a one-story building 60 x 20 ft. Mathias took over the operation of the mill about 1870 and installed a feed-grinder. He continued the operation of the mill until 1908 when it was abandoned. This mill was in continuous operation for 68 years.

Mathias was a member of the "Regulators", an organization formed to rid the country of outlaws. David Fitch, his brother, and Jacob Kell were also members of this courageous organization.

Mathias died December 10, 1923, and is buried in the Perry Cemetery near Huntertown, Indiana. Frances was buried beside her husband.

MATHIAS FITCH B. Jan. 16, 1843 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Dec. 10, 1923. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Dec. 1, 1867 to FRANCES VANDOLAH B. Feb. 19, 1843 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. May 26, 1923. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 9

(2) LUCY FITCH B. Sept. 15, 1868 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Sept. 27, 1868. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

(2) SCHUYLER FITCH B. Dec. 24, 1869 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. April 17, 1952 in Seattle, Wash. M. on Jan. 5, 1893 to LEAH L. PEPPLE B. April 3, 1871 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. Deceased. Issue 3

(3) ROWENE FITCH B. March 3, 1894 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on March 12, 1913 to CARL HUBERT HARTNETT B. May 5, 1892 at Seattle, Wash. Divorced.

(4) HUBERT FITCH HARTNETT B. Feb. 5, 1914 in Portland, Ore. M. on March 27, 1943 to HAZEL CHRISTINE OIE B. March 5, 1916 at Kent, Wash. Issue 2

(5) JAMES HUGH HARTNETT B. Dec. 20, 1946 at Seattle, Wash. M. on Aug. 6, 1971 to SANDRA LEE GAUDRAUTT B. Dec. 30, 1948 in Boston, Mass.

(5) JULIA MYRTLE HARTNETT B. Aug. 7, 1949 at Seattle, Wash.

(3) ROWENE FITCH second marriage on March 30, 1928 to CLARENCE THAYER BUNKER B. March 15, 1894 at St. Paul, Minn.

(3) ROBERT FITCH B. Oct. 30, 1898 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. D. Nov. 31, 1954. M. on June 21, 1923 to STELLA BENSON B. Nov. 19, 1894 at Pendleton, Ore. Issue 2

(4) BETTE JANE FITCH B. March 5, 1924 at Seattle, Wash. M. on March 26, 1943 to ALBERT K. LYON. Issue 1

(5) KATHY IRENE LYON

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④ VIRGINIA ROWENA FITCH B. Dec. 31, 1927 at Seattle, Wash. D. June 13, 1930.

③ MERLIN FITCH B. Dec. 31, 1901 in Butler Township, DeKalb County, Ind. M. on Aug. 28, 1927 to EUNICE LUCILE BALCH B. Sept. 20, 1908 at Wenatchee, Wash. Issue 2

D. Feb. 13, 1980

D. 9-13-1994 April

④ ROBERT ELLIOT FITCH B. Oct. 17, 1928 at Wenatchee, Wash. M. on June 20, 1954 to VALERIE BALSAMO B. March 27, 1927 at Kempstead, Long Island, N.Y. Issue 2

⑤ JOHN ROBERT FITCH B. Feb. 21, 1956 in Oakland, Cal.

⑤ LINELLE FITCH B. Feb. 3, 1959 in Seattle, Wash.

④ JOHN SCHUYLER FITCH B. June 6, 1934 at Wenatchee, Wash. M. on Aug. 18, 1957 to BILLIE MARIE ROCHELLE B. July 24, 1936 at Portland, Ore. Issue 2

⑤ JIMMIE ALLEN FITCH B. Dec. 20, 1960 at Seattle, Wash.

⑤ CHERYL ANN FITCH B. Oct. 19, 1962 at Seattle, Wash.

② JOHN BYRON FITCH B. June 23, 1872 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Feb. 20, 1947. B.P. Cedar Chapel Cemetery. M. on March 17, 1898 to ROSA BELLE HOLLOPETER B. May 29, 1874 in Cedar Creek Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Jan. 15, 1953. B.P. Cedar Chapel Cemetery, DeKalb County, Ind. Issue 3

③ GRACE FITCH B. March 29, 1899 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. June 8, 1970. B.P. Cemetery at Merriam in Noble County, Ind. M. on June 30, 1926 to CHARLES CAPLE B. Dec. 2, 1895 at Culver, Ind. Issue 2

D. Oct 21, 1978

④ JOHN ALFRED CAPLE B. Oct. 10, 1927 at Auburn, Ind. M. on Aug. 25, 1951 to BARBARA HORN B. Dec. 15, 1927 at Pennville, Jay County, Ind. Issue 2

D. Feb 8, 1994 - in a Plane crash

D. Feb. 17, 1992

⑤ JONI RENEE CAPLE B. Nov. 20, 1953 in LaGrange, Ind.

m. John Colvin

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⑤ BERNARDETTE ANN CAPLE B. MAY 3, 1957 AT GARRETT, IND.

④ LEANN ETHEL CAPLE B. SEPT. 22, 1934 AT CROMWELL, IND. M. ON AUG. 5, 1961 TO EUGENE ALLEN CULBERTSON B. NOV. 6, 1934 AT AUBURN, IND. D. 1999 ISSUE 2

⑤ DEAN LEROY CULBERTSON B. MAY 15, 1962 IN KENDALLVILLE, IND.

⑤ DAVID ALLEN CULBERTSON B. APRIL 8, 1964 IN KENDALLVILLE, IND.

③ MAURICE KEITH FITCH B. OCT. 9, 1901 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. Dec 9, 1974 M. ON JUNE 19, 1926 TO LOIS BYERLEY B. AUG. 12, 1903 IN EEL RIVER TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. JUNE 16, 1952. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 2

④ BRYCE GORDON FITCH B. MARCH 27, 1927 AT HUNTERTOWN, IND.

④ NOEL BERNON FITCH B. APRIL 12, 1935 AT HUNTERTOWN, IND.

M. ON

③ OTIS BERNON FITCH B. DEC. 20, 1904 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. July 1, 1976 M. ON DEC. 30, 1926 TO ESTHER DOLL B. APRIL 28, 1900 AT SPENCERVILLE, IND. ISSUE 3

④ ELSIE MAY FITCH B. AUG. 15, 1927 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON OCT. 27, 1951 TO ROBERT LEROY FULK B. JULY 15, 1924 AT CHURUBUSCO, IND. D. D. DEC. 12, 1969. B.P. LINDENWOOD CEMETERY, FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 3

ELSIE MAY FITCH SECOND MARRIAGE ON DEC. 26, 1971 TO HAROLD JONES B. MAY 3, 1924 IN OHIO.

⑤ KAREN MARIE FULK B. NOV. 24, 1952 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON MAY 14, 1971 TO TIMOTHY CHRISTOPHER LORTIE B. JUNE 29, 1950.

⑤ KEITH MARION FULK B. MAY 8, 1954 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

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⑤ Cathy Sue Wies / Ricky J. Wies

Father - Donald Wies
Mother - Dolly

Kyle Justin Wies B. April 19, 1979
Jason Randall Wies B. Oct ~~17~~ 24 1982

⑤ Carol Louise Lockwood / Tim (Michael) Lockwood

Father - Wayne
Mother - Betty Jolly

Daniel Adam Lockwood — B. Nov 26, 1976
Jared Michael Lockwood — B. Nov. 21, 1978
Lisa Marie Lockwood — B Sept 6, 1982

⑤ John Alan Fitch, Amy Cantu (Sue)

Father - Thomas
Mother - Tomasa Tamez

Judy Marie Fitch — B. July 15, 1978
Jennifer Ann Fitch — B. Sept 19, 1980
Jeremy Thomas — B. Oct 27, 1983
David Nathaniel Fitch - B. Aug 20, 1986

⑤ Larry Michael Fitch / Mary Romans (Belekanic)

Father - Michael Belekanic
Mother - Ruth Willis

Mary Kelly Romans B. May 23, 1972 by 1st husband John Romans

Timothy Joshua Fitch - B. Jan 21, 1985
Katherine Fitch — B. March 15, 1988

⑤ KEVIN MAURICE FULK B. JAN. 14, 1958 IN KENDALLVILLE, IND.

④ WARREN JOHN FITCH B. APRIL 15, 1929 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON MAY 13, 1950 TO BETTY L. BROWN B. MAY 18, 1930 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 4

⑤ CATHY SUE FITCH B. MARCH 2, 1952 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON SEPT. 4, 1971 TO RICKY J. WIES B. NOV. 1, 1950 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

⑤ CAROL LOUISE FITCH B. DEC. 22, 1953 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

⑤ JOHN ALAN FITCH B. MARCH 13, 1955 IN GARRETT, IND.

⑤ LARRY MICHAEL FITCH B. FEB. 3, 1956 IN KENDALLVILLE, IND.

④ MAXINE JOAN FITCH B. JAN. 28, 1931 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON JAN. 13, 1949 TO RICHARD LEE OBER B. AUG. 3, 1930 AT GARRETT, IND. D. 11-13-1982 Florida ISSUE 4

⑤ GERRY LEE OBER B. AUG. 6, 1949 IN GARRETT, IND.

⑤ SUSAN JANE OBER B. MAY 25, 1954 IN GARRETT, IND.

⑤ TERESA MAY OBER (TWIN) B. FEB. 17, 1964 IN COLUMBUS, OHIO

⑤ SHARON LYNN OBER (TWIN) B. FEB. 17, 1964 IN COLUMBUS, OHIO.

② WALTER VAN TWILLER FITCH B. MARCH 24, 1874 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. JAN. 2, 1902. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN CO., IND.

② FLORENCE BESSIE FITCH B. MAY 10, 1875 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. JULY 9, 1942. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON APRIL 10, 1900 TO FREDERICK JACOB KELL B. JUNE 30, 1872 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. D. AUG. 1959. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 5

③ CAROLYN KELL B. JUNE 8, 1901 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON JUNE 9, 1923 TO CLARENCE PERRY DAVIS B. NOV. 28, 1892 AT MONROE, IND. D. MARCH 31, 1965. B.P. COVINGTON MEMORIAL GARDENS, FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 4

Carolyn died Ft Wayne, IN May 11, 1995

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④ ENID DAVIS B. Dec. 17, 1924 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on July 17, 1943 to WALTER HONEICK, JR. B. May 17, 1925 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 2

⑤ GARY WALTER HONEICK B. Sept. 20, 1944 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Sept. 1, 1970 to SHERYL LYNN HALL B. March 4, in Des Moines, Iowa.

⑤ GALE LESLIE HONEICK B. Sept. 27, 1946 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Aug. 21, 1965 to DONALD LEE BRICE B. Sept. 28, 1945 in Boone, Iowa. Issue 3

⑥ DANETTE RENEE BRICE B. July 8, 1966 at Ames, Iowa.

⑥ CHRISTOPHER JAMES BRICE B. Oct. 19, 1967 at Ames, Iowa.

⑥ KIMBERLY DAWN BRICE B. Jan. 27, 1970 in Ames, Iowa.

④ DAVID EVAN DAVIS B. April 7, 1926 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on June 21, 1952 to SHARON LOUISE WILLIG B. Aug. 19, 1932 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 5

⑤ WALTER KEITH DAVIS B. May 29, 1953 in Fort Wayne, Ind. D. May 30, 1953. B.P. Concordia Lutheran Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ KARL VICTOR DAVIS B. Aug. 12, 1954 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ KATHRYN CHRISTINE DAVIS B. April 2, 1958 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ KEVAN ROBERT DAVIS B. Aug. 20, 1962 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ KAROLYN ANN DAVIS B. Aug. 5, 1969 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ SHARON LEONE DAVIS B. Dec. 28, 1928 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Sept. 11, 1954 to ALEXANDER JOKAY B. Nov. 8, 1927 in Komarom, Czechoslovakia. Issue 2

⑤ ALEX MOR JOKAY B. Oct. 26, 1961 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ NICHOLAS BENJAMIN JOKAY B. Sept. 5, 1963 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

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④ SARAH REBECCA DAVIS B. Feb. 5, 1938 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Nov. 21, 1959 to DARREL ROSS MONROE B. June 7, 1938 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Divorced May 1966. Issue 2

⑤ REBECCA LYNN MONROE B. Jan. 24, 1961 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ BRYAN JAMES MONROE B. Sept. 22, 1962 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ SARAH REBECCA DAVIS second marriage on Nov. 12, 1966 to RONALD WAYNE BAILEY B. Nov. 4, 1936 at Muncie, Ind. Issue 1

⑤ ROLLAND JOSEPH BAILEY B. Jan. 9, 1959 in Fort Wayne, Ind. (Son by first marriage)

⑤ MARK CHRISTOPHER BAILEY B. May 20, 1967 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

③ SARAH ELIZABETH KELL B. July 12, 1902 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on June 7, 1934 to EARL EUGENE DeBOLT B. Feb. 13, 1896 in Washburn, Ill. D. May 19, 1957. B.P. Dunedin, Fla. Issue 1

④ MARGARET ELIZABETH DeBOLT B. Oct. 5, 1936 in Clearwater, Fla. M. on May 5, 1972 to DONALD WAYNE LEHMAN B. May 1, 1929.

③ FREDERICK JACOB KELL B. March 16, 1904 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on Nov. 15, 1930 to ELSIE CORNELIA ADEN B. Dec. 1, 1903 at Gibson City, Ill. Issue 3

④ ANN LOUISE KELL B. May 18, 1932 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on May 18, 1952 to RUSSELL LYONS, JR. B. March 28, 1930 in Hicksville, Ohio. Issue 3

⑤ DIANE ELAINE LYONS B. Sept. 13, 1953 in Auburn, Ind.

⑤ ALAN BLAINE LYONS B. Aug. 26, 1954 at Auburn, Ind.

⑤ PERRY LYNN LYONS B. April 18, 1957 at Auburn, Ind.

④ VICTOR JACOB KELL B. Dec. 10, 1933 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Jan. 28, 1934. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

④ JACOB FREDERICK KELL B. July 28, 1935 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on Oct. 12, 1963 to EULA MAY FREEMAN B. Feb. 10,

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1931 at Garrett, Ind. Issue 4

⑤ LISA ANN KELL B. Oct. 11, 1964 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ LANA SUE KELL B. Sept. 2, 1966 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ ERIC LYNN KELL B. Nov. 12, 1968 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ NATHAN ALAN KELL B. Jan. 25, 1970 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

③ MARY ELLEN KELL B. Feb. 2, 1907 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on Oct. 27, 1935 to DEWEY SYLVESTER ARNOLD B. Oct. 19, 1900 in Lake Township, Allen County. Issue 4

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④ MARK LYNN ARNOLD B. April 25, 1938 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ MARTHA ELLEN ARNOLD B. July 9, 1940 in Fort Wayne, Ind.
D. March 25, 1941. B.P. Eel River Cemetery near Churubusco, Ind.

④ AARON ROGER ARNOLD B. Aug. 21, 1942 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Sept. 15, 1962 to ANN MARIE ELSIE HARDIEK B. Aug. 13, 1942 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 2

⑤ ANITA MAY ARNOLD B. Aug. 30, 1967 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ LORI ANN ARNOLD B. Oct. 9, 1968 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ ELI JOSEPH ARNOLD B. June 10, 1945 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Jan. 7, 1967 to BONNIE JEAN WALLACE B. Nov. 17, 1944 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 1

⑤ ANTHONY ALLEN ARNOLD B. Aug. 25, 1969 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

③ THOMAS KELL B. Nov. 9, 1908 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind.
D. Aug. 30, 1910. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

② NATHANIEL FITCH B. June 5, 1877 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind.
D. Sept. 14, 1877. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

② GRACE FITCH B. Nov. 19, 1878 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind.
D. Aug. 18, 1879. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

② ALTHEA CREOLA FITCH B. Dec. 30, 1880 in Perry Township Allen County, Ind.
D. Nov. 4, 1930. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

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② BEATRICE VICTORIA FITCH B. Aug. 1, 1884 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Nov. 15, 1969. M. on Jan. 3, 1917 to CHARLES ALLEN LEAYCRAFT B. June 26, 1864 on Bermuda Islands. D. Nov. 6, 1920. Cremation. Issue 2

③ FRANCIS MATHIAS LEAYCRAFT B. Oct. 17, 1917 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on March 9, 1952 to IVA FRANCES SCOTT B. Sept. 14, 1916 in Bolivar, Tenn. Issue 2

④ HUBERT FRANCIS LEAYCRAFT B. April 6, 1943 in ~~Wilmington~~ Long Beach, Cal.

④ VERDA FERN LEAYCRAFT B. Oct. 16, 1946 in ~~Wilmington~~ Long Beach, Cal.

③ VICTORIA LEAYCRAFT B. July 13, 1921 at Garrett, Ind. M. on to DON NEALY B. Feb. 15, 1920 in California. Issue 2 D. July 11, 1976

④ VICTOR GEORGE NEALY B. Aug. 13, 1953 in Los Angeles County, Cal.

④ CHARLES JOSEPH NEALY B. Aug. 29, 1954 in Los Angeles County, Cal.

Correction:
Mother of Hubert + Verda
is Fern Elizabeth Souder Leaycraft B. March 28, 1918 in Bakersfield, Calif.

Francis Leaycraft
married Yuma, Arizona
Fern Souder June 13, 1942

Hubert Francis Leaycraft
married 1984
Jacqueline Misterka

MATTHIAS FITCH FAMILY

MARRIAGES

NOEL FITCH TO LUCILE LEPIRE, MARCH 5, 1971.

JULIA MYRTLE HARTNETT TO FRANK PATTON COEN, APRIL 22, 1972.

CAROL LOUISE FITCH TO TIM M. LOCKWOOD, MARCH 3, 1973.

SUSAN JANE OBER TO DAVID EUGENE FURLOUGH, DECEMBER 15, 1973.

DIANE ELAINE LYONS TO REV. PAUL RICHARD BARNES, MAY 16, 1975.

JOHN ALAN FITCH TO AMY SUE CANTER, JUNE 21, 1975.

KARL VICTOR DAVID TO MAUREEN DEBRA FRANK, OCTOBER 2, 1976.

LARRY MICHAEL FITCH TO MARY ROMANS, JULY 14, 1978.

PERRY LYNN LYONS TO DENISE LOUISE ALEXANDER, AUGUST 26, 1978.

KATHRYN CHRISTINE DAVIS TO DAVID ALLAN SAMANIEGO, NOVEMBER 11, 1978.

DEBORAH SUE GULICK TO LLOYD KNOWLES, JULY 23, 1979.

RICHARD R. GULICK, JR. TO SUSAN SMITH, JUNE 14, 1980.

REBECCA LYNN MONROE TO GREGORE CHRISTOPHER BRATT, JULY 19, 1980.

BIRTHS

NANCY MARIE FITCH B. DECEMBER 9, 1971 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. NOLL FITCH.

KRIS ALLEN LORTIE B. MARCH 5, 1972 AND JASON ROBERT LORTIE B. JULY 3, 1973 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. TIMOTHY LORTIE.

KELLY ROMANS B. MAY 23, 1972 ISSUE OF MRS. LARRY M. FITCH.

AREN JAMES HONEICK B. MAY 12, 1974 AND ALENA MICHELLE HONEICK B. DECEMBER 30, 1976 ISSUES OF GARY W. HONEICK.

DANIEL ADAM LOCKWOOD B. NOVEMBER 26, 1976 AND JARED MICHAEL LOCKWOOD B. NOVEMBER 21, 1978 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. TIM LOCKWOOD.

JUDY MARIE FITCH B. JULY 15, 1978 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JOHN ALAN FITCH.

KYLE JUSTIN WIESS B. APRIL 19, 1979 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. RICKY WIESS.

DEATHS

MAURICE FITCH D. DECEMBER 9, 1974.

OTIS FITCH D. JULY 1, 1976.

DON NEALY D. JULY 11, 1976.

CHARLES CAPLE D. OCTOBER 21, 1978.

MERLIN FITCH D. FEBRUARY 13, 1980.

STANDING

Margarite Beers, Kenneth Beers, Bertha Beers, Alice Beers, LeRoy Beers

SEATED

Levi Beers, Jane Fitch Beers

JANE BEERS married Levi Beers a preacher. They reared five children.

Jane wanted to go to college, she wanted to learn Latin. A teacher from Boston was hired by her father to teach in the country school.

Jane and her husband encouraged her brothers and sisters to go to college and opened their home so they could reside with them.

Their life was lived in different places since Levi's preaching took them to Pennsylvania, Illinois and Indiana.

(1) MARY JANE FITCH B. Oct. 15, 1844 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Mar. 17, 1925. B.P. Oak Hill Cemetery, Neenah, Wisc. M. on Dec. 24, 1873 to LEVI BEERS B. June 14, 1845 in Richland County, Ohio. D. Feb. 16, 1919. B.P. Oak Hill Cemetery, Neenah, Wisc. Issue 5

(2) KENNETH FITCH BEERS B. June 15, 1876 at Wabash, Ind. D. Sept. 17, 1944. B.P. Highland Cemetery, South Bend, Ind. M. on Oct. 22, 1901 to MAY MILLER B. May 29, 1876 at Goshen, Ind. D. May 1948. B.P. Highland Cemetery, South Bend, Ind.

(2) LEROY FITCH BEERS B. Oct. 9, 1880 at Clarion, Pa. D. Nov. 28, 1962. B.P. Pine Hill Cemetery, Rush, N.Y. M. on Mar. 30, 1910 to CLARA DARROHN B. Apr. 24, 1883 at Rush, N.Y. Issue 4

(3) KENNETH DARROHN BEERS B. Apr. 30, 1913 at Rochester, N.Y. D. Jan. 29, 1929. B.P. Pine Hill Cemetery, Rush, N.Y.

(3) DOUGLAS DARROHN BEERS B. July 13, 1915 at Rochester, N.Y. D. Mar. 26, 1955. B.P. Pine Hill Cemetery, Rush, N.Y. M. JANIE SITTON. Deceased. Issue 2

(4) JANIE SITTON BEERS B. Mar. 23, 1943 at Enid, Okla.

(4) DOUGLAS DARROHN BEERS B. Mar. 1, 1947 at Denver, Col.

(3) DOUGLAS BEERS second marriage on Mar. 14, 1941 to MRS. MARGARET JACKSON TEAGARDEN B. Dec. 19, 1914 at Gilmer, Texas.

(4) TERRY JANE TEAGARDEN

(4) NANCY LYNN TEAGARDEN

(3) ROBERT LEROY BEERS B. May 10, 1919 at Rochester, N.Y. M. on Oct. 9, 1943 to EVELYN MYRA GRACEY B. Mar. 22, 1922 at Philadelphia, Pa. Issue 3

(4) STEVEN ROBERT BEERS B. Dec. 17, 1951 at Montgomery, Ala.

(4) GAIL EVELYN BEERS B. May 17, 1953 at Montgomery, Ala.

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④ RICHARD LLOYD BEERS B. JULY 9, 1956 AT DENVER, COL.

③ ELLEN DARROHN BEERS B. DEC. 27, 1923 AT ROCHESTER, N.Y. M. ON MAR. 28, 1948 TO DONALD KENNETH WEBER B. FEB. 17, 1924 AT SHILLING, PA.

④ CYNTHIA WEBER ADOPTED. B. JUNE 9, 1953 AT CHATHAM, N.J.

④ JOYCE SHERWOOD WEBER ADOPTED. B. SEPT. 10, 1955 AT ROCHESTER, N.Y.

③ ELLEN DARROHN BEERS SECOND MARRIAGE ON MAY 31, 1963 TO DENNIS GORDON ADAMS B. AUG. 30, 1938 AT PITTSBURGH, PA. ISSUE 3

④ HEATHER RUTH ADAMS B. DEC. 1, 1964 AT ROCHESTER, N.Y.

④ MARCIA CLARE ADAMS B. JULY 7, 1966 AT DAYTON, OHIO.

④ ALYCE ANNETTA ADAMS B. JAN. 18, 1970 AT ROCHESTER, N.Y.

② MARGARITE BEERS B. AUG. 12, 1878 AT WABASH, IND. M. ON JUNE 23, 1903 TO IRVING EUGENE OZANNE B. JULY 28, 1865 AT SOMERS, WISC. D. JULY 15, 1945. B.P. OAK HILL CEMETERY, NEENAH, WISC. ISSUE 4

③ IRVING LEE OZANNE B. AUG. 6, 1904 AT NEENAH, WISC. D. FEB. 9, 1931. B.P. OAK HILL CEMETERY, NEENAH, WISC.

③ BRYCE KENNETH OZANNE B. OCT. 4, 1908 AT NEENAH, WISC. M. ON MAR. 23, 1935 TO DOROTHY JANE MERTEN B. JULY 10, 1913 AT GREELEY, COL. ISSUE 4

④ JUDITH CAROL OZANNE B. APR. 28, 1939 AT NEENAH, WISC. M. ON JUNE 9, 1962 TO STEPHEN LYON B. JULY 9, 1940 AT ASHEVILLE, N. CAR. ISSUE 1

⑤ DEREK REED LYON B. NOV. 10, 1969 AT DAYTON, OHIO

④ GERARD MERTEN OZANNE B. MAY 16, 1941 AT APPLETON, WISC. M. ON JAN. 30, 1965 TO LINDA EWERTS B. AUG. 9, 1942 AT DAVENPORT, IOWA.

④ JACQUELINE SUE OZANNE B. FEB. 16, 1948 AT MOLINE, ILL.

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M. on Jan. 18, 1970 to GREGORY WILLE B. April 7, 1946.

④ STEVEN KENNETH OZANNE B. Aug. 24, 1952 at Moline, Ill.

③ LUCILE MARGARITA OZANNE B. Oct. 29, 1911 at Neenah, Wisc. M. on July 6, 1935 to CHARLES WILLIAM CASSELL B. Sept. 25, 1906 at Indianapolis, Ind. Issue 3

④ SUSAN MARGARITA CASSELL B. Jan. 29, 1938. M. on Sept. 20, 1968 to PATRICK SCHULTZ SPANGLER B. Mar. 11, 1938 at Hanover, Pa. Issue 1

⑤ RANDALL RICHARD SPANGLER B. Mar. 21, 1971 at Laguna Beach, Cal.

④ SANDRA JEAN CASSELL B. June 23, 1941 at Baltimore, Md. M. on Feb. 1, 1964 to TOBIAS R. PETERSON B. Oct. 12, 1924 at Houghton, Mich. Issue 3

⑤ MARGARET ESTHER PETERSON B. Oct. 8, 1964 at Wayne, Mich.

⑤ SUSAN RUTH PETERSON B. Apr. 9, 1966 at Ypsilanti, Mich.

⑤ MATTHEW WILLIAM PETERSON B. Apr. 20, 1967 at Ypsilanti, Mich.

⑤ DANIEL LEE PETERSON adopted Oct. 1969. B. Aug. 31, 1962 at Covington, Ky.

PETERSON children of TOBIAS PETERSON'S first marriage.

⑤ JOYCE ELEANOR PETERSON B. May 4, 1955 at Ypsilanti, Mich.

⑤ JILL MALLORY PETERSON B. June 4, 1956 at Ypsilanti, Mich.

⑤ JEFFRY RICHARD PETERSON B. May 18, 1959 at Ypsilanti, Mich.

⑤ TANYA PETERSON DEATON

⑤ JAMES C. PETERSON

④ CHARLES WILLIAM CASSELL, JR. B. Jan. 16, 1943 at Westminster, Md.

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(3) ROBERT WILLARD OZANNE B. Oct. 16, 1914 at Neenah, Wisc. M. on June 24, 1940 to FRANCES WEBB B. Dec. 1, 1919 at Syracuse, N.Y. Issue 4

(4) LEE IRVING OZANNE B. Aug. 29, 1941 at Appleton, Wisc.

(4) LARRY JAMES OZANNE B. June 27, 1943 at Denver, Col.

(4) BRADFORD OZANNE B. Sept. 16, 1945 at Denver, Col.

(4) ROY DOUGLAS OZANNE B. Apr. 24, 1948 at Denver, Col.

(2) BERTHA DELL BEERS B. July 22, 1883 at Riceville, Pa. D. June 30, 1949. B.P. Neenah, Wisc. M. on May 30, 1919 to JOHN ALEXANDER HUNT B. Jan. 28, 1877 at San Francisco, Cal. D. Aug. 30, 1919. B.P. Mountain View Cemetery, Oakland, Cal.

(3) JOHN HUNT adopted. B. Jan. 28, 1921 at Detroit, Mich. Deceased. M. on Aug. 4, 1945 to JEANNINE MILDRED MORRISON B. Dec. 22, 1923 at Newark, N.J. Issue 3

(3) LAWRENCE JOHN HUNT B. May 29, 1946 at Cleveland, Ohio.

(3) NANCY JEANNE HUNT B. Nov. 3, 1948 at Wilmington, Del.

(3) GORDON HUNT B. Jan. 28, 1951.

(2) ALICE NATHALIA BEERS B. June 9, 1884 at Rimiersburg, Pa. D. Feb. 7, 1965. M. on July 19, 1910 to LOUIS HENRY KEPHART. B. May 14, 1871 at Sand Springs, Iowa. D. Jan. 13, 1931. B.P. Fairmount.

JANE BEERS FAMILY

MARRIAGES

DOUGLAS DARROHN BEERS to LINDA GALLAVIN, December 27, 1969.
CHARLES WILLIAM CASSELL JR. to BERNADINE McCLEOD, August 19, 1972.
GAIL EVELYN BEERS to STEPHEN M. PHILLIPS, June, 1977.
STEVEN KENNETH OZANNE to LINDA JOYCE GERLING

BIRTHS

ERICA CATHERINE OZANNE B. September 4, 1972 and ELISSA MARY OZANNE B. September 30, 1974 issues of Mr. and Mrs. GERARD M. OZANNE.

OSCAR CLAYTON WILLE B. February 22, 1975, NICHOLAS BRIAN WILLE B. March 15, 1977 and JESSICA KATHERINE WILLE B. December 13, 1978 issue of Mr. and Mrs. GREGORY G. WILLE.

JONATHAN ROSS OZANNE B. September 16, 1979 issue of Mr. and Mrs. STEVEN K. OZANNE.

DEATHS

MARGARITA BEERS OZANNE D. September 13, 1975.

CORRECTION

Pg. 39 in Fitch History Book
DOUGLAS DARROHN BEERS JR. is the son of DOUGLAS BEERS and MARGARET JACKSON TEAGARTEN.

LEFT TO RIGHT

Allen Fitch, Oakley Fitch, Genevieve Fitch, his wife, Grandma Fitch, Luann, Charles Fitch, Giles, their son standing, Harry, their son, Aunt Emma, Allen's wife, May Harvey, Aunt Mable Durkee, her sister.

This Picture was taken at 2701 Bryant Avenue So. in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

CHARLES FITCH, fourth child of Nathaniel and Sarah Elizabeth Fitch married Lou Ann Club. They had seven children.

Charles and his brother Allen drove by horse and wagon to Iowa. They settled there in Keokuck County where Charles and Lou Ann's first two children were born. They moved to Clarksville, Butler Co., Iowa, where the other five children were born.

Charles and his family along with his brother Allen went by horse and wagon to South St. Paul.

They started the first livestock commission firm in South St. Paul.

Charles Fitch became of Mayor of South St. Paul. A park was named for him. His daughter Rose May Fitch was one of the first school teachers in South St. Paul.

(1)
CHARLES FITCH B. March 29, 1846 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Aug. 21, 1925. B.P. Oak Hill Cemetery, South St. Paul, Minn. M. on April 26, 1868 to LOU ANN CLUBB B. Nov. 27, 1846 in Morgan County, Ind. D. March 16, 1943. B.P. Oak Hill Cemetery, South St. Paul, Minn. Issue 7

(2) STELLA FITCH B. Jan. 31, 1869 in Keokuck County, Iowa. D. Jan. 31, 1869, Keokuck County, Iowa.

(2) ROSIE MAY FITCH B. March 16, 1870 in Keokuck County, Iowa. D. Oct. 24, 1966. B.P. Oak Hill Cemetery, South St. Paul, Minn. M. on Oct. 8, 1893 to PETER HARVEY B. Oct. 2, 1868 at Waverly, Iowa. D. May 11, 1956. B.P. South St. Paul, Minn. Issue 1

(3) KENNETH FITCH HARVEY B. Aug. 15, 1908 at Minneapolis, Minn. First marriage on June 16, 1934 to DORIS GENEVIEVE HAZELTON. Divorced. Second marriage on Dec. 18, 1937 to BERNICE ALBERTA WIRE B. June 10, 1912 at Medicine Bow, Wyoming. Issue 3

(4) LUANN HARVEY B. May 28, 1940 at Minneapolis, Minn. M. on Nov. 21, 1962 to REV. ROBERT L. HART B. Jan. 31, 1939. Issue 1

(5) PAUL ROBERT HART B. April 24, 1968 at St. Paul, Minn.

(4) BETTE MAY HARVEY B. March 5, 1942 at Minneapolis, Minn. M. on June 18, 1965 to REV. DWIGHT RALPH CHAMBERLAIN B. Feb. 4, 1939 at Beatrice, Neb. Issue 3

(5) SCOTT DWIGHT CHAMBERLAIN B. March 12, 1968 at Worthington, Minn.

(5) KAY BETTE (Twin) CHAMBERLAIN B. Sept. 29, 1970

(5) KAREN MAE (Twin) CHAMBERLAIN B. Sept. 29, 1970

(4) SUE ALICE HARVEY B. Sept. 7, 1943 at Minneapolis, Minn. M. on Nov. 8, 1968 to HOWARD RALPH SHIRLEY B. May 6, 1937 at Oakes, N.D.

(2) NATHANIEL PHILLIP FITCH B. June 19, 1873 at Clarksville, Iowa, Butler County. D. June 28, 1881. B.P. Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

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(2) HARRY FITCH B. July 17, 1875 at Clarksville, Iowa, Butler County. D. June 12, 1909. B.P. Oak Hill Cemetery, South St. Paul, Minn.

(2) CHARLES OAKLEY FITCH B. March 19, 1878 at Clarksville Iowa, Butler County. D. Oct. 23, 1958. B.P. Acacia Park Cemetery, South St. Paul, Minn. M. on June 16, 1904 to GENEVIEVE VARIEN B. Nov. 26, 1880 at Hastings, Minn. D. May 18, 1948. B.P. Acacia Cemetery, St. Paul, Minn. Issue 3

(3) MARJORIE VIVIAN FITCH B. June 4, 1905 at St. Paul, Minn. M. on Oct. 7, 1930 to LOREN H. SHIRK B. June 26, 1902 at Milledgeville, Ill. Issue 2

(4) ANNE LUCILE SHIRK B. Dec. 2, 1933 at Baltimore, Md. M. on June 11, 1955 to PAUL MORETON NOBIS B. Aug. 6, 1933 at Cincinnati, Ohio. Issue 3

(5) JENNIFER NOBIS B. Sept. 30, 1957.

(5) PAUL JEFFREY NOBIS B. Sept. 7, 1959.

(5) SARAH ANNE NOBIS B. Feb. 14, 1964.

(4) SUSAN ELIZABETH SHIRK B. March 26, 1941 at Cincinnati, Ohio. M. on Aug. 24, 1963 to BILLY JOE BOWLING B. June 19, 1941 at Cincinnati, Ohio. Issue 3

(5) ELIZABETH ANN BOWLING B. Nov. 30, 1966 in Canton, Ohio

(5) MICHELLE MARQUERITE BOWLING B. April 23, 1969 at Colmar, France.

(5) LAURA CHRISTINE BOWLING B. Aug. 27, 1971 at Canton, Ohio.

(3) ELIZABETH ANN FITCH B. July 5, 1915 at St. Paul, Minn. M. on June 28, 1940 to JOHN WILLIAM PEARSON B. June 2, 1918 at St. Paul, Minn. Issue 2

(4) JON OAKLEY PEARSON B. Nov. 1, 1944.

(4) ANN ELIZABETH PEARSON B. Nov. 9, 1946. M. on June 21, 1969 to

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④ WILLIAM CLAIRE MILON.

③ LUCILE VARIEN FITCH B. Feb. 16, 1917 at St. Paul, Minn. M. on Aug. 8, 1945 to CLARENCE B. KIERNAN B. Oct. 1, 1918 at Allentown, Pa. Issue 4

④ SARAH JANE KIERNAN B. June 6, 1946 at St. Paul, Minn. M. on Feb. 10, 1968 to ARTUR XAVIER LAMBO VILANKULA B. Jan. 13, 1943 at Massinga Mozambique, East Africa. Issue 1

⑤ LUCIA FELIZMINA VILANKULA B. June 25, 1970.

④ CHARLES BERNARD KIERNAN B. July 31, 1949 at Allentown, Pa.

④ PETER ALLEN KIERNAN B. Jan. 15, 1952 at Allentown, Pa. D. March 21, 1952. B.P. Union Cemetery, Maxatawny, Berks County, Pa.

④ MICHAEL ANDREW KIERNAN B. Oct. 17, 1961.

③ MABEL FITCH B. Sept. 6, 1881 at Clarksville, Iowa. D. Jan. 15, 1960. B.P. Acacia Park Cemetery, South St. Paul, Minn. M. on Sept. 20, 1905 to JOHN RAY DURKEE B. Dec. 22, 1876 at Rochester, Minn. D. May 6, 1944. MABEL FITCH second marriage on May 18, 1945 to ARTHUR LEONARD ANDERSON B. Nov. 18, 1891 at Sioux City, Iowa.

③ GILES FITCH B. Nov. 20, 1885 at Clarksville, Iowa. D. Jan. 31, 1942. B.P. St. Peter's Cemetery, Mendota, Minn. M. Dec. 27, 1917 to FRANCIS KATHRYN FINNERTY.

CHARLES FITCH FAMILY

MARRIAGE

JON OAKLEY PEARSON to MARGARET ELSIE ANDERSON, July 28, 1979.

BIRTHS

ALICINA ROSE VILANKULA B. December 18, 1972 issue of Mr. and Mrs. ARTUR VILANKULA.

DAVID GRAHAM HART B. February 23, 1972 and SHARON LUANN HART B. May 2, 1974 issues of Rev. and Mrs. ROBERT HART.

BRIAN HOWARD SHIRLEY B. May 15, 1973 issue of Mr. and Mrs. HOWARD SHIRLEY.

DEATHS

PAUL JEFFREY NOBIS D. November 9, 1975.

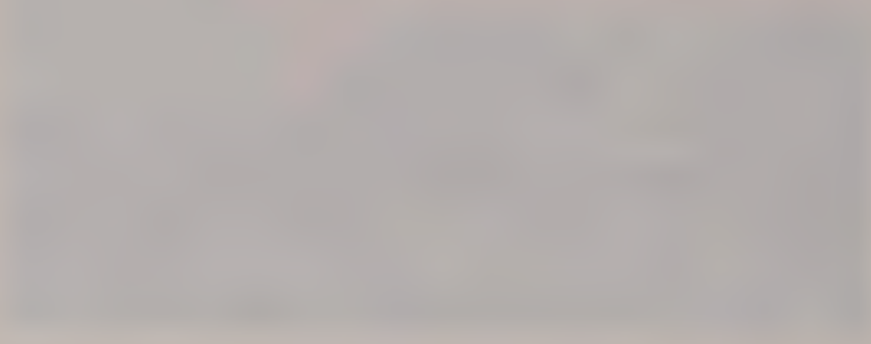
LUCILLE FITCH KIERNAN D. October 29, 1978.

AMOS FITCH HOMESTEAD

NANCY ELIZABETH FITCH and AMOS FITCH

AMOS FITCH, the 5th child of Nathaniel and Sarah E. Fitch was born June 11th, 1849 at the Fitch homestead in Perry Twp., Allen County, Indiana. He received a good common school education and later attended Perry Center Seminary. He was a member of the Good Templars Lodge of Huntertown. In 1878, he was united in marriage to Nancy Elizabeth Hunter, who was born in 1849, daughter of William T. and Jane Hunter of Huntertown, Indiana. She was a member of the Universalist Church. In 1878, they came to live in Butler Township, DeKalb County on the Allen-DeKalb County line on the 160 acre farm given him by his father which was purchased in 1835 from the government signed by President Andrew Jackson. Here he erected a two-story brick dwelling which is now a Centennial Farm having remained in possession of the Fitch family for more than 100 years. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in 1928 at the family home. Mr. Fitch was a member for several years of the Knights of Pythias Lodge of Auburn, Indiana. He was a progressive farmer, civic-minded and always interested in the betterment of home and community rural life and took an active part in business enterprises in DeKalb and Allen counties.

Four children were born to this union – Gladys, Rolland H., Marie E. and Marguerette L. Mrs. Fitch passed away June 1st, 1930. Mr. Fitch passed away November 9, 1935. Interment Cedar Chapel cemetery, DeKalb County, Indiana.



(1) AMOS FITCH B. JUNE 11, 1849 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, INDIANA. D. NOV. 9, 1935. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, INDIANA. M. ON NOV. 27, 1878 TO NANCY ELIZABETH HUNTER B. JAN. 22, 1849 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, INDIANA. D. JUNE 1, 1930. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, INDIANA. ISSUE 4

(2) GLADYS FITCH B. OCT. 15, 1881 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. 10-30-1962
D. OCT. 30, 1962. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND.

(2) ROLLAND H. FITCH B. SEPT. 12, 1884 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. JUNE 3, 1959. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. M. ON NOV. 27, 1930 TO MARGARET HELEN GUTERMUTH B. OCT. 11, 1890 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. D. MAY 21, 1943. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, INDIANA.

(2) MARIE ELAINE FITCH B. JUNE 29, 1891 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, D. 11-20-1984
IND. M. ON OCT. 26, 1916 TO ARTHUR GIDEON HOUSER B. OCT. 31, 1880 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. D. MAY 26, 1955. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 3

(3) RICHARD EUGENE HOUSER B. MAY 4, 1918 IN GARRETT, IND. M. AUG. 16, 1941 TO LOIS JOAN HYLER B. JAN. 18, 1921 AT WILLARD, OHIO. ISSUE 3

(4) STEVEN RICHARD HOUSER B. SEPT. 19, 1942 IN LOS ANGELES, CAL. M. OCT. 19, 1968 TO BRENDA LEE MORR B. DEC. 19, 1948 IN DECATUR, ILL. ISSUE 1

(5) CHRISTOPHER STEVEN HOUSER B. JUNE 25, 1971 IN XENIA, OHIO

(4) MARK ALAN HOUSER B. SEPT. 23, 1952 IN XENIA, OHIO.

(4) KENT ARTHUR HOUSER B. NOV. 25, 1954 IN XENIA, OHIO.

(3) MARGARET ELAINE HOUSER B. JUNE 4, 1922 IN GARRETT, IND. M. ON JULY 3, 1954 TO VINCENT J. KIRBACH B. NOV. 7, 1918 IN ROCKRIDGE, ILL. ISSUE 1

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④ LINDA SUE KIRBACH B. JUNE 19, 1959 IN CLEVELAND, OHIO.

③ JOAN ELIZABETH HOUSER B. NOV. 12, 1924 IN GARRETT, IND. M. ON APRIL 17, 1949 TO RALPH EUGENE DOVE B. SEPT. 11, 1924 IN JACKSON TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 2

④ KATHY ELAINE DOVE B. AUG. 31, 1952 IN GARRETT, IND.

④ KIM ALAN DOVE B. FEB. 5, 1955 IN GARRETT, IND.

② MARGUERETTE LOUISE FITCH B. JAN. 28, 1894 IN BUTLER TOWNSHIP, DEKALB COUNTY, IND. M. ON MAR. 10, 1925 TO HARRY EDWARD WERT B. MARCH 28, 1888 IN GARRETT, IND. D. AUG. 25, 1956. B.P. CEDAR CHAPEL CEMETERY, DEKALB COUNTY, IND.

D. 11-20-1984

Sisters Marie + Marguerette
died the same day
Had funeral the same day

AMOS FITCH FAMILY

MARRIAGES

KATHY ELAINE DOVE TO LARRY D. NOLL, SEPTEMBER 9, 1972.

MARK ALAN HOUSER TO KATHLEEN ELIZABETH HOGAN, MAY 15, 1976.

KIM ALAN DOVE TO JUDI PINGEL, AUGUST 13, 1977.

KENT ARTHUR HOUSER TO MARIAN B. MARRONE, SEPTEMBER 29, 1979.

BIRTHS

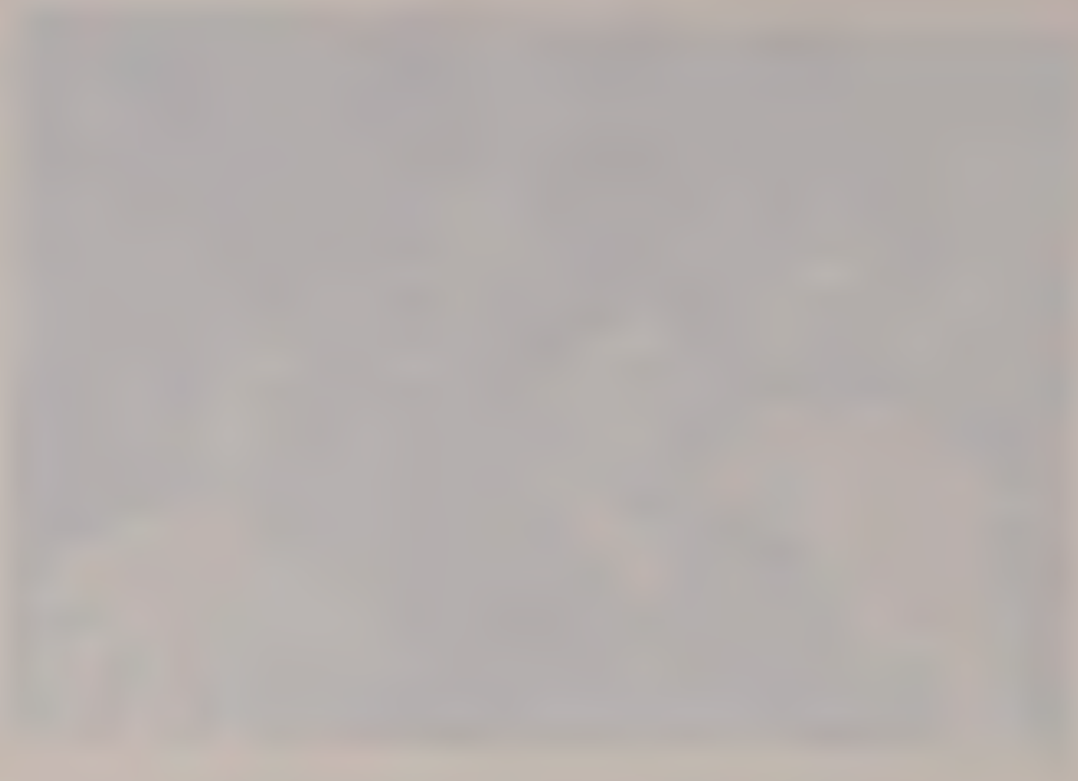
AARON RICHARD HOUSER B. SEPTEMBER 16, 1974 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. STEVEN HOUSER.

CHAD D. NOLL B. OCTOBER 4, 1977 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. LARRY D. NOLL.

DELLA, OTIS, STELLA AND NORMA GLOYD

JEROME D. GLOYD, was born in Perry Township, July 12, 1841. In 1875, he was married to Fitelia, daughter of Nathaniel and Sarah Fitch, born in April 1851.

They have four children, Estalla, May Della, Otis F., and Norma A. Mr. Gloyd served his township as trustee four years, and evinced such ability in this direction that he was elected County Commissioner in 1882, and re-elected in 1884, and served six years. He had a fine farm of 160 acres.



(1) FITELIA FITCH B. April 10, 1851 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Jan. 8, 1935. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery. M. on Oct. 6, 1875 to JEROME DORSEY GLOYD B. July 12, 1854 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Aug. 26, 1917. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery. Issue 4

(2) STELLA EDITH GLOYD B. Jan. 30, 1877 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. March 9, 1964. B.P. Perry Cemetery, Huntertown, Ind.

(2) MAY DELLAH GLOYD B. Nov. 15, 1880 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Feb. 13, 1912. B.P. Perry Cemetery, Huntertown, Ind.

(2) OTIS FITCH GLOYD B. Jan. 25, 1883 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Jan. 4, 1944. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen Co., Ind. M. on June 27, 1907 to OPAL ARVILLA MOSS B. Feb. 20, 1883 in Cedar Creek Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Nov. 2, 1952. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen Co., Ind. Issue 3

(3) HILDA RUTH GLOYD B. Oct. 17, 1908 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. May 15, 1920. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

(3) OLIVE IOLENE GLOYD B. April 12, 1912 in Perry Township, Allen County Ind. M. on June 6, 1936 to RUSSELL HOWARD PUSEY B. March 13, 1909 in Hartford Township, Adams County, Ind.

(4) SUE ELLEN PUSEY (adopted) June 15, 1946. B. May 4, 1946. M. on Sept. 9, 1967 to JAMES DOUGLAS MOYER B. Aug. 23, 1942, Adams County, Ind. Issue 2

(5) BRUCE ALAN MOYER (Twin) B. March 12, 1968 in Indianapolis, Ind.

(5) BRYAN DOUGLAS MOYER (Twin) B. March 12, 1968 in Indianapolis, Ind.

(4) MARK ALAN PUSEY (adopted) Feb. 24, 1950. B. Jan. 13, 1950. D. June 25, 1951. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen Co., Ind.

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④ JAMES DAVID PUSEY (ADOPTED) B. JAN. 25, 1947 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON FEB. 7, 1965 TO SUE MARIE DELLSON (ADOPTED). ISSUE 2

⑤ DAWN MARIE PUSEY B. AUG. 13, 1965 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

⑤ KRISTIE ANN PUSEY B. JULY 11, 1971 IN

③ ROBERT MOSS GLOYD B. MARCH 11, 1916 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON MAY 24, 1941 TO EVELYN MAE PONTIUS B. FEB. 28, 1924 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 6

④ TRAVIS GENE GLOYD B. DEC. 9, 1941 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON APRIL 25, 1964 TO BEVERLY ENGLEMAN B. NOV. 27, 1941. ISSUE 2

⑤ JEFFREY GENE GLOYD B. NOV. 21, 1966 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

⑤ JILL MARIE GLOYD B. DEC. 31, 1969 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

④ SARAH LOU GLOYD B. APRIL 22, 1943 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON OCT. 3, 1965 TO CHARLES LEGGITT B. AUG. 5, 1940. ISSUE 2

⑤ CURTISS REED LEGGITT B. AUG. 3, 1966 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

⑤ LORI LYNN LEGGITT B. FEB. 16, 1970 IN AKRON, OHIO.

④ SAMUEL JEROME GLOYD B. MAY 10, 1946 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON APRIL 19, 1970 TO KAREN LOCHIATTO B. APRIL 19, 1947 IN ISSUE 1

⑤ CANON BLAIN GLOYD B. JULY 8, 1971.

④ DENNIS ROBERT GLOYD B. MARCH 1, 1948 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. M. ON SEPT. 3, 1967 TO ROXANNE GROSS B. JUNE 14, 1949 IN ALLEN COUNTY, IND. ISSUE 2

⑤ KIMBERLY KAY GLOYD B. OCT. 4, 1968 IN DEKALB COUNTY, IND.

⑤ ANGELA SUE GLOYD B. OCT. 2, 1970 IN DEKALB COUNTY, IND.

④ PAMELA KAY GLOYD B. JUNE 25, 1951 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. D. JULY 9, 1952. B.P. PERRY TOWNSHIP CEMETERY, ALLEN COUNTY, IND.

④ SHARON DIAN GLOYD B. AUG. 29, 1952 IN FORT WAYNE, IND.

③ NORMA ALICE GLOYD B. NOV. 30, 1885 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND.

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D. May 27, 1942. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Sept. 27, 1907 to CHARLES ELMER MOUDY B. April 4, 1886 near Cedarville, Ind. D. June 24, 1948. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 4

(3) HERMAN RAWLES MOUDY B. Dec. 29, 1909 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. Sept. 5, 1936 to EUNICE MAURINE FLAGG B. Dec. 31, 1914 in Rantoul, Ill. Issue 3

(4) NORMAN EUGENE MOUDY B. March 30, 1938 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on May 28, 1965 to MARGARET SIDONIA HOFFER B. Oct. 17, 1940 in Ruska Mokra, Hungary. Issue 3

(5) MONICA ROCHELLE MOUDY B. May 6, 1967 in Yreka, Cal.

(5) DENA KATHLEEN MOUDY B. Dec. 23, 1969 in Yreka, Cal.

(5) KATRINA FRANCINE MOUDY B. July 5, 1971 in Raymond, Wash.

(4) RUTH ANN MOUDY B. Oct. 7, 1939 in Fort Wayne, Ind.. M. on Feb. 28, 1959 to ARTHUR FRANKLIN MC DANIEL B. Jan. 22, 1940 in Tuscon, Ariz. Issue 2

(5) JEFFREY STUART MC DANIEL B. Dec. 2, 1959 in Tuscon, Ariz.

(5) GREGORY ALAN MC DANIEL B. July 27, 1961 in Tuscon, Ariz.

(4) ARLENE KAY MOUDY B. Oct. 16, 1944 near Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Jan. 5, 1963 to MERLIN DELBERT LEACH B. July 11, 1944 in Croswell, Mich. Issue 1

(5) SHERRY LYNN LEACH B. Aug. 13, 1963 in Tuscon, Ariz.

(3) HAZEL NAOMI MOUDY B. June 19, 1912 in Allen County, Ind. M. on April 27, 1940 to MARION A. HARDWICK B. Mar. 7, 1907 in Henderson County, Ky.

(3) ALFRED RICHARD MOUDY B. Dec. 31, 1917 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Jan. 5, 1918. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

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(3) JAMES WALTER MOUDY B. APRIL 27, 1921 IN PERRY TOWNSHIP, ALLEN COUNTY, IND. M. ON MARCH 13, 1946 TO FLORELLA SHIMER B. JUNE 7, 1923 IN FORT WAYNE, IND. ISSUE 3

(4) KENNETH CHARLES MOUDY B. FEB. 19, 1950 IN ROCHESTER, IND.

(4) LAURENA RUTH MOUDY B. FEB. 20, 1953 IN TUSCON, ARIZ.

(4) QUENTIN JAMES MOUDY B. APRIL 13, 1955 IN TUSCON, ARIZ.

JEROME AND FITELIA GLOYD FAMILY

MARRIAGES

SHARON DIAN GLOYD TO RONALD WAYNE HOOT, JUNE 24, 1972.
LAURENA RUTH MOUDY TO STEPHEN CUMBERLAND, MARCH 23, 1973
JAMES DAVID PUSEY TO DEBRA L. BRUBAKER, AUGUST 3, 1974.
KENNETH CHARLES MOUDY TO LINDA RENAE WITTE, SEPTEMBER 17, 1977.

BIRTHS

MATTHEW DAVID GLOYD B. SEPTEMBER 16, 1972 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. TRAVIS GLOYD.
JUSTIN GLOYD B. DECEMBER 10, 1972 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. SAMUEL GLOYD.
LORISSA ANN HOOT B. MARCH 20, 1973, NATHAN MATTHEW HOOT B. JANUARY 19, 1975 AND JASON MICHAEL HOOT B. MAY 16, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. RONALD W. HOOT.
CRAIG MICHAEL CUMBERLAND B. JANUARY 8, 1974, CARA CUMBERLAND B. JUNE 10, 1976 AND JASON CUMBERLAND B. JUNE 19, 1978 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. STEPHEN CUMBERLAND.
CHELSEA LYNN GLOYD B. FEBRUARY 14, 1974 AND CALEB MOSS GLOYD B. SEPTEMBER 18, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. SAMUEL GLOYD.
ALISA MAE GLOYD B. MARCH 12, 1979 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. DENNIS GLOYD.
DANIEL JAMES MOUDY B. MARCH 25, 1980 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. KENNETH C. MOUDY.

DEATHS

JUSTIN GLOYD D. DECEMBER 11, 1972.

CORRECTION

PG. 54 OF FITCH FAMILY HISTORY
ADD - WENDELL JOHN MOUDY
CLAYTON WAYNE MOUDY
DEWAYNE KEITH MOUDY

CHRISTIAN NORMAN FAIR and FRANCELIA FITCH FAIR

THEIR CHILDREN

EDWARD DELONG FAIR (RIGHT)
VALLETTA FAIR BRESSLER (CENTER)
JAMES HENRY FAIR (LEFT)

Christian Norman Fair's parent's were Henry + Betsey (Elizabeth) Fair

Grandparents: Peter + Sarah Fair
One of the first settler's in DeKalb County

Uncle: Abraham Fair
Aunt: Christina DeLong Fair
Sarah's sister

Story says that Henry went West and never returned in 1849. He was considered dead in 1854. Peter died in 1853 and Henry was named executor of his will, but in 1854 his name was removed as being dead and brother Charles took his place. Then Charles was removed for insanity

(1) FRANCELIA FITCH B. Apr. 10, 1851 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Dec. 29, 1937. B.P. Alden Cemetery, Alden, Kan. M. November 26, 1874 to CHRISTIAN NORMAN FAIR B. Dec. 9, 1843 in DeKalb County, Ind. D. Mar. 26, 1921. B.P. Alden Cemetery, Alden, Kan. Issue 3

(2) VALETTA FAIR B. Feb. 16, 1876 in Allen County, Ind. D. Feb. 7, 1961. B.P. Wamego, Kan.
M. May 10, 1897 to ALEXANDER HODGE BRESSLER B. Aug. 29, 1872 in Paris, Ill. D. Sept. 18, 1951. B.P. Wamego, Kan. Issue 3

(3) PALMER FAIR BRESSLER B. Apr. 2, 1898 in Raymond, Kan. First marriage on Aug. 6, 1918 to LILLIAN GUTHRIE. Divorced. Second marriage on Feb. 27, 1927 to NINA RUTH BURGESS B. Apr. 27, 1901 in Randolph, Kan.

(3) GRACE ELIZABETH BRESSLER B. Jan. 3, 1904 in Raymond, Kan. M. June 1, 1927 to JOHN FRENCH GARTNER B. Apr. 22, 1904 at Junction City, Kan. D. Feb. 28, 1970 at Salina, Kan. B.P. Fairhaven Cemetery, Santa Ana, California. Issue 3

(3) GRACE ELIZABETH BRESSLER second marriage on Sept. 12, 1971 to NORMAN LOSEY ROBERTS B. Aug. 31, 1901 at Chanute, Kan.

(4) JOAN MARYETTA GARTNER B. Nov. 26, 1930 at Long Beach, Cal. M. on Dec. 26, 1954 to JAMES MERRELL MACON B. Oct. 19, 1923 at Los Angeles, Cal. Issue 3

(5) JOHN DAVID MACON B. Oct. 27, 1957.

(5) SUSAN ELIZABETH MACON B. Aug. 17, 1960

(5) NANCY ANN MACON B. Dec. 26, 1961

(4) FRANCELIA KAY GARTNER B. Jan. 1, 1937 in Long Beach, Cal. M. on July 20, 1958 to MERLE MELVIN WHITE B. Sept. 7, 1937 at Los Angeles, Cal. Issue 1

(5) SARAH ELIZABETH WHITE B. July 10, 1968 at Orange, Cal.

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④ SARAH ELIZABETH GARTNER B. JULY 20, 1938 IN LONG BEACH, CAL. M. ON NOV. 18, 1962 TO VINCENT ANDREW CHERENE B. JAN. 29, 1937 AT MIDLAND, PA.

⑤ ELIZABETH ANN CHERENE (ADOPTED) B. APR. 20, 1967.

⑤ ANGELA NOEL CHERENE (ADOPTED) B. OCT. 9, 1968

⑤ JASON CARLISLE CHERENE (ADOPTED) B. MAY 31, 1969.

③ CHRISTIAN NORMAN BRESSLER B. NOV. 26, 1905 AT RAYMOND, KAN. D. JULY 6, 1961. M. ON JULY 5, 1927 TO DOROTHY STEVENSON B. APR. 25, 1905 IN OBERLIN, KAN. ISSUE 2

④ NORMAN STEVENSON BRESSLER B. MAR. 6, 1936 AT SALINA, KAN. M. ON JUNE 4, 1958 TO LAURA LYON B. DIVORCED NOV. 1, 1968

⑤ ELIZABETH LYNN BRESSLER B. NOV. 2, 1958.

⑤ PHILLIP NORMAN BRESSLER B. JUNE 4, 1961.

⑤ MOLLY ANN BRESSLER B. FEB. 3, 1965.

④ NORMAN STEVENSON BRESSLER SECOND MARRIAGE ON APR. 25, 1969 TO CARLA ANN METZ, B. MAR. 22, 1942, SALINA, KAN. ISSUE 1

⑤ AMY IOLYNE BRESSLER B. DEC. 28, 1969.

⑤ SAM ERIC B. NOV. 3, 1965. SON OF CARLA ANN METZ IN PREVIOUS MARRIAGE.

④ JAMES ALEXANDER BRESSLER B. JULY 3, 1945 IN WAMEGO, KAN.

③ DOROTHY LUCILE BRESSLER (ADOPTED BY VALETTA FAIR BRESSLER) JAN. 13, 1930. FIRST M. TO HENRY GEORGE HURTIG, JR.. DIVORCED OCT. 9, 1949, WEST MORELAND, KAN. ISSUE 2

④ HENRY GEORGE HURTIG, III B. DEC. 31, 1942 AT MANHATTAN, KAN.

④ PALMER BRESSLER HURTIG B. OCT. 2, 1946 AT WAMEGO, KAN.

③ DOROTHY LUCILE BRESSLER SECOND M. ON OCT. 17, 1952 TO DONALD JAMES SCULLY. ISSUE 2

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(4) JAMES SCULLY

(4) PALMER B. SCULLY

(2) JAMES HENRY FAIR B. Jan. 6, 1881 at Raymond, Kan. D. Feb. 28, 1964. B.P. Alden, Kan.
M. on Nov. 1, 1911 to NINA MAE ALTLAND B. Feb. 14, 1884 at Dorrance, Kan. Issue 1

(3) SARAH BARBARA FAIR B. Sept. 23, 1917 in Alden, Kan. M. Apr. 12, 1944 to ALAN RAY SLEEPER B. Sept. 4, 1917 in Iola, Kan. Issue 2

(4) BARBARA ANN SLEEPER B. Jan. 16, 1946 in Alden, Kan.

(4) JAMES ALAN SLEEPER B. Nov. 2, 1948 in Alden, Kan.

(2) EDWARD DE LONG FAIR B. Nov. 2, 1886 in Alden, Kan. D. June 18, 1949. B.P. Alden Cemetery, Alden Kan. M. on May 23, 1911 to RUIE ELLA VINCENT B. July 12, 1890 at Alden, Kan. D. Mar. 16, 1960. B.P. Alden Cemetery, Alden, Kan. Issue 2

(3) CHRISTIAN NORMAN FAIR, JR. B. July 28, 1912 at Alden, Kan. M. on Feb. 26, 1934 to GLENNA MARIE KUHN B. Apr. 9, 1913 at Pretty Prairie, Kan. Issue 2

(4) CHARLES EDWARD FAIR B. Apr. 14, 1939. M. on
to SHIRLEY PEARL PARTINGTON B. Oct. 5, 1942. Issue 3

(5) ELLEN PEARL FAIR B. June 6, 1967.

(5) JULIE MARIE FAIR B. Sept. 2, 1968.

(5) SARAH ELIZABETH FAIR B. June 9, 1971.

(4) NORMA JEAN FAIR B. Apr. 18, 1942 at Hutchinson, Kan.

(3) NINA EVANGELINE FAIR B. Jan. 12, 1923 at Alden, Kan. M. on June 6, 1948 to ROSCOE WEBSTER WALL B. Mar. 5, 1911 in Athens, Tex. Issue 4

(4) SUZETTE WALL B. June 6, 1949 in Hutchinson, Kan.

(4) PATRICIA ROXANNE WALL B. June 24, 1951 in Hutchinson, Kan.

(4) WILLIAM EDWARD WALL B. July 25, 1954 at Hoxie, Kan.

(4) JANE ELIZABETH WALL B. Oct. 22, 1958.

FRANCELIA FAIR FAMILY

MARRIAGES

BARBARA ANN SLEEPER TO WILLIAM E. HULSIZER, MAY 8, 1974.

BIRTHS

CHARLES NORMAN FAIR B. FEBRUARY 14, 1975 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. CHARLES EDWARD FAIR.

NOAH ALAN HULSIZER B. DECEMBER 13, 1975 AND EVA HULSIZER B. APRIL 30, 1977 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM E. HULSIZER.

DEATHS

DOROTHY LUCILLE BRESSLER D. MAY 11, 1973.

CHARLES NORMAN FAIR D. FEBRUARY 28, 1975.

PALMER FAIR BRESSLER D. APRIL 2, 1976.

NORMAN LOSEY ROBERTS D. APRIL 28, 1978.

CORRECTIONS

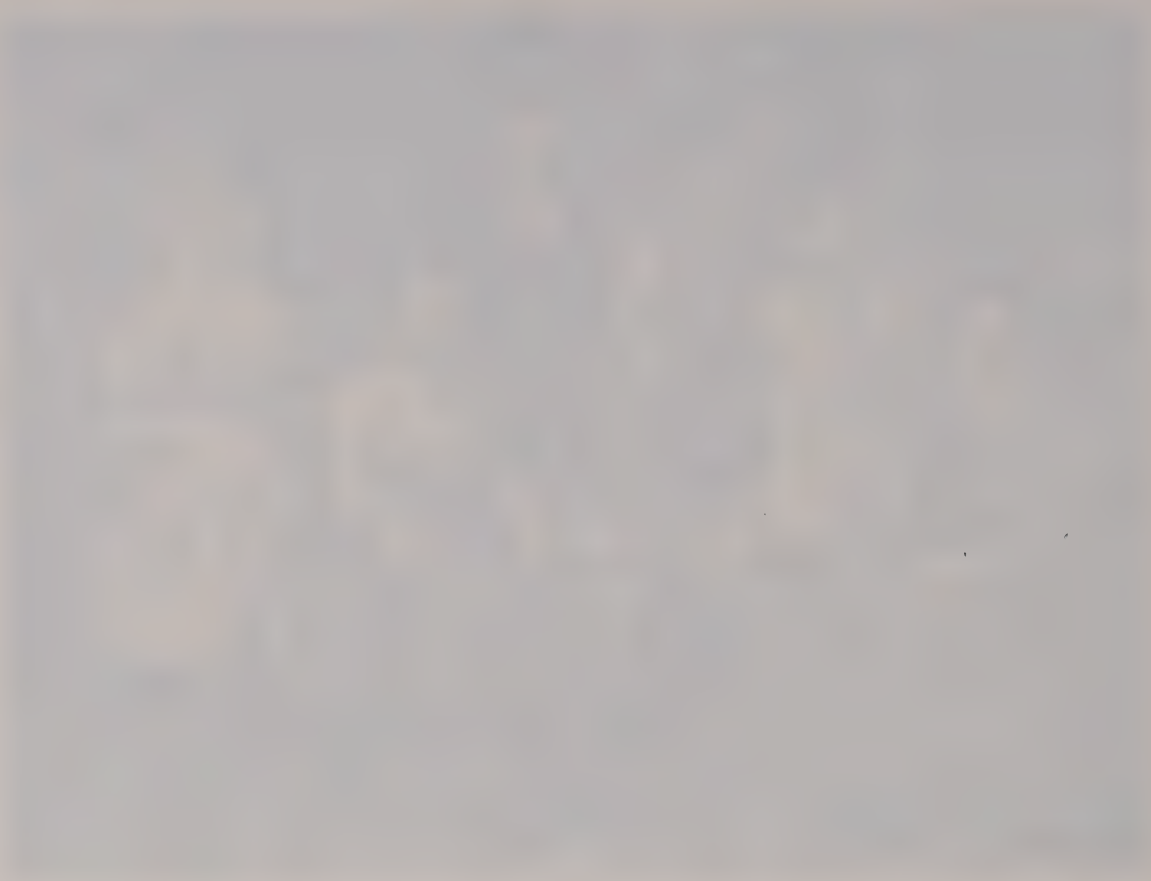
PG. 58 MARRIAGE DATE OF CHRISTIAN NORMAN FAIR JR. AND GLENNA MARIE KUHN SHOULD READ FEBRUARY 21, 1935.

PG. 55 EDWARD DELONG FAIR IS ON THE LEFT. JAMES HENRY FAIR IS ON THE RIGHT.

HARVEY FITCH FAMILY

FRONT ROW (SEATED)
AUDREY, EARNEST, HARVEY and ETTA

BACK ROW (STANDING)
NINA, PARKER, CECIL



(1)
HARVEY FITCH B. July 15, 1853 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Sept. 13, 1948. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Aug. 30, 1879 to PERMELIA ETTA PARKER B. April 15, 1859 at Huntertown, Ind. D. Aug. 10, 1942. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 5

(3) AUDREY ESTELLA FITCH B. Aug. 19, 1882 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Dec. 19, 1958. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Feb. 6, 1907 to GEORGE SOLOMON HURSH B. Feb. 6, 1882 near Fort Wayne, Ind. D. 1962. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

(3) NINA LUELLA FITCH B. Aug. 16, 1884 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Aug. 29, 1969. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. M. on Oct. 24, 1910 to HENRY ALBERT EMRICK B. Dec. 20, 1872 near Leo, Ind. D. Feb. 16, 1942. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 1

(3) ALICE EMRICK B. Feb. 8, 1916 at Fort Wayne, Ind. D. Feb. 23, 1916. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

(3) JOHN PARKER FITCH B. March 22, 1886 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on Jan. 11, 1910 to MARY ALMA URBINE B. Aug. 14, 1885 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Aug. 3, 1967. B.P. Avilla Catholic Cemetery, Avilla, Ind. Issue 2

(3) MARY LOUISE FITCH B. March 31, 1911 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind.

(3) ETTA PHILOMENA FITCH B. Nov. 30, 1915 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind.

(3) CECIL FITCH B. June 23, 1892 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on June 3, 1914 to VERNIE EDGAR McCOMB B. Dec. 14, 1892 at Leo, Ind. D. July 28, 1963. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 8

(4) MARJORIE ETTA McCOMB B. July 13, 1915 at Huntertown, Ind. M. on 1976
Aug. 7, 1937 to LOREN WOODROW FRECK B. Dec. 31, 1913 in Jefferson

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Township, Whitley County, Ind. Issue 2

④ NANCY JANE FRECK B. Nov. 22, 1939 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on July 25, 1959 to FRANKLIN HUBER B. Aug. 18, 1933 at Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 2

⑤ JILL RENEE HUBER B. April 2, 1963 at Bloomington, Ind.

⑤ SCOTT FRANKLIN HUBER B. Jan. 6, 1966 at Indianapolis, Ind.

④ THOMAS FRECK B. Aug. 27, 1946 at Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Sept. 9, 1969 to REBECCA RAUB B. Feb. 23, 1946.

③ AUDREY MARSCELLE McCOMB B. Jan. 29, 1917 at Huntertown, Ind. M. on Aug. 12, 1939 to WALTER BRENTON SLOFFER B. Dec. 10, 1915 near Huntertown, Ind. Issue 6

④ CHARLOTTE ANN SLOFFER B. May 9, 1941 in Allen County, Ind. M. on 1959 to THOMAS TOM B. March 15, 1941 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 4

⑤ KIMBERLY JO TOM B. May 3, 1959 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ KARMA BETH TOM B. Oct. 23, 1961 in Muncie, Ind.

⑤ TIMOTHY EDWARD TOM B. June 18, 1963 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ MICHAEL THOMAS TOM B. Aug. 13, 1967 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ DANFORD RUSSELL SLOFFER B. Jan. 15, 1944 at Valpariso, Ind. M. on Nov. 2, 1963 to ANITA DeVNY B. Oct. 25, 1945 at Kendallville, Ind. Issue 3

⑤ TINA MARIE SLOFFER B. Sept. 15, 1964 at Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ BRENT RUSSELL SLOFFER B. Jan. 5, 1966 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ NEAL ANDREW SLOFFER B. Sept. 10, 1970 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ SAMUEL WALTER SLOFFER B. June 10, 1946 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on March 29, 1969 to LINDA WILSON B. Dec. 25, 1947 at Madison, Ind.

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(4) PHILLIP CARL SLOFFER B. Nov. 12, 1949 in Allen County, Ind. M. on Dec. 26, 1970 to NANCY B. MOORE. Issue 1

(5) CHRISTOPHER CARL SLOFFER B. March 20, 1971 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) PAUL EUGENE SLOFFER B. Aug. 11, 1951 in Allen County, Ind.

(4) DAVID ALLEN SLOFFER B. May 26, 1954 in Allen County, Ind.

(3) BARBARA ANN McCOMB B. Sept. 19, 1918 at Huntertown, Ind. M. on Sept. 19, 1936 to RUSSELL EDWARD KELHAM B. Sept. 19, 1911 near Garrett, Ind. Issue 6

(4) SANDRA LOU KELHAM B. Sept. 15, 1939 near Angola, Ind. M. on Jan. 4, 1956 to KENNETH LE ROY WALTERS B. Aug. 15, 1935 in DeKalb County, Ind. Divorced. Issue 1

(5) MICHAEL DEAN WALTERS B. Sept. 9, 1962 at Kendallville, Ind.

(4) SALLY LOUISE KELHAM B. July 24, 1941 at Garrett, Ind. M. on June 4, 1960 to TED DEAN THRUSH B. Feb. 24, 1940 in DeKalb County, Ind. Issue 4

(5) REBECCA LOUISE THRUSH B. Dec. 15, 1961 at Garrett, Ind.

(5) JEFFREY DEAN THRUSH B. Feb. 10, 1964 at Kendallville, Ind.

(5) KEVIN EUGENE THRUSH B. May 29, 1966 at Kendallville, Ind.

(5) SHARI LYNN THRUSH B. Aug. 16, 1971 at Kendallville, Ind.

(4) JAMES MORTON KELHAM B. June 23, 1944 at Garrett, Ind. M. on Sept. 28, 1963 to VIRGINIA ELAINE LEECH B. Aug. 25, 1944 at Garrett, Ind. Issue 2

(5) ANDREA KAY KELHAM B. April 16, 1964 at Garrett, Ind.

(5) JANA LEE KELHAM B. March 20, 1968 at Auburn, Ind.

(4) EDWARD LEE KELHAM B. June 5, 1946 at Garrett, Ind. M. on July 1971 to DEBORAH KAY HILLS B. Jan. 17, 1948 at Winslow, Ariz.

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(4) ALICE JANE KELHAM B. Aug. 28, 1948 at Garrett, Ind. M. on April 12, 1969 to KENNETH EUGENE YINGLING B. March 18, 1946 at Kendallville, Ind. Issue 1

(5) KEITH EUGENE YINGLING B. Jan. 7, 1971 at Auburn, Ind.

(4) KATHY ANN KELHAM B. Sept. 19, 1957 at Garrett, Ind.

(3) PHYLLIS RUTH McCOMB B. Sept. 9, 1920 at Huntertown, Ind. M. on Aug. 12, 1939 to FRANCIS EDWARD BROWN B. Dec. 13, 1913 in Wymore, Neb. Issue 6

(4) ORMIN EDWARD BROWN B. Dec. 24, 1941 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) TRUMIN PHILLIP BROWN B. Oct. 17, 1944 at Garrett, Ind. M. on Dec. 12, 1970 to DEBORAH MARIE RHODES B. Dec. 19, 1944 at Urbana, Ill.

(4) TERRILL LYNN BROWN B. Oct. 14, 1948 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on July 31, 1971 to BRENDA SUE BRYAN B. March 28, 1949 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) ANNETTA LUCILE BROWN B. Dec. 2, 1950 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on July 24, 1971 to MIKEL OREN ROPP III, B. Dec. 31, 1946 in Indianapolis, Ind.

(4) DARRELL EDGAR BROWN B. Oct. 17, 1955 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) ANGELA RUTH BROWN B. Dec. 17, 1956 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(3) DANFORD MAURICE McCOMB B. Feb. 21, 1922 at Huntertown, Ind. M. on May 9, 1942 to BETTY MAY FRASIER B. May 9, 1922. D. Sept. 9, 1958. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind. Issue 4

(4) LINDA LOU McCOMB B. Sept. 19, 1944 at Santiago, Cal. M. on Aug. 17, 1963 to JERRY W. ZIRKLE B. July 14, 1944 in Huntington, Ind. Issue 2

(5) GREGORY SCOTT ZIRKLE B. Nov. 14, 1963 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(5) MECHALLE JOAN ZIRKEL B. Nov. 14, 1962 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

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④ CAROL SUE McCOMB B. Feb. 21, 1946 at Santa Anna, Cal. M. on Nov. 7, 1964 to JAMES H. GREEN B. Jan. 31, 1944 in Green Township, Noble County, Ind. Issue 3

⑤ JAMES CHRISTOPHER GREEN B. April 24, 1965 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ MATTHEW JOHN GREEN B. Nov. 7, 1968 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ ANGELA MAY GREEN B. Nov. 27, 1971 in Fort Wamne, Ind.

④ TEDDY LEE McCOMB B. Dec. 20, 1948 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Jan. 20, 1968 to FRANCES SUE MANNIX B. Sept. 16, 1949 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 2

⑤ DAVID FRANCIS McCOMB B. Sept. 23, 1968 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

⑤ MOLLIE ANN McCOMB B. April 14, 1971 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ JULIA ANN McCOMB B. Jan. 3, 1955 in

③ RUSSELL KENNETH McCOMB B. Sept. 26, 1923 in Huntertown, Ind. M. on Sept. 7, 1946 to JUANITA SCHEEAN B. May 26, 1923 at Battleground, Ind. Issue 4

④ RUSSELL KENNETH McCOMB, JR. B. April 11, 1949 in Lafayette, Ind.

④ ROBERT DEAN McCOMB B. Feb. 27, 1951.

④ JANICE MARIE McCOMB B. Dec. 2, 1953 in Lafayette, Ind.

④ JAY McCOMB B. July 3, 1965.

③ DOROTHY LUELLA McCOMB B. Feb. 28, 1925 in Huntertown, Ind. M. on July 19, 1947 to JACK EDWARD LUCAS B. Nov. 25, 1925. Issue 2

④ WILLIAM THOMAS LUCAS B. April 27, 1948 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

④ JACKIE KAY LUCAS B. Feb. 27, 1951. M. on Dec. 18, 1971 to

④ STEPHAN LEE GAFF B. Feb. 23, 1949 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

② CLEO FITCH B. Nov. 7, 1894 near Huntertown, Ind. D. Jan. 6, 1895. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

② EARNEST HARVEY FITCH B. June 27, 1900 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Jan. 25, 1969. B.P. Circle Hill Cemetery, Angola, Ind. M. on

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Oct. 2, 1919 to BERNICE LOUISE STRAYER B. July 3, 1898 at Clear Lake, Ind. Issue 4

(3) RICHARD WALTER FITCHB. March 20, 1921 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on May 18, 1942 to PHYLLIS PULVER B. Aug. 10, 1924 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. Issue 8

(4) JEAN MARIE FITCH B. Jan. 29, 1942 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Aug. 3, 1963 to DANIEL WILLIAM McCREA B. Oct. 30, 1941 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 3

(5) BRIAN DANIEL McCREA B. March 4, 1964 in Garrett, Ind.

(5) CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM McCREA B. July 7, 1965 in Garrett, Ind.

(5) SHANNON MICHAEL McCREA B. Aug. 13, 1970 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) ETTA ANN FITCH B. July 14, 1943 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on May 16, 1970 to JOSEPH DALE GELLER B. March 3, 1944.

(4) MICHAEL RICHARD FITCH B. May 26, 1945 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Nov. 13, 1971 to CYNTHIA ANN MURRAY B. July 19, 1951 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) PATRICIA LOUISE FITCH B. July 21, 1947 in Allen County, Ind. M. on Aug. 19, 1967 to MICHAEL RAY DOWNS B. Nov. 3, 1946 in Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 1

(5) NICHOLAS MICHAEL DOWNS B. May 27, 1969 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) PAMELA SUE FITCH B. Oct. 25, 1948 in Allen County, Ind. M. on May 24, 1969 to KENNETH DALE ZORGER B. Sept. 15, 1946 in Fort Wayne, Ind.

(4) RICHARD WALTER FITCH B. Nov. 25, 1952 in Allen County, Ind.

(4) LAURENCE RAY FITCH B. Aug. 15, 1954 in Allen County, Ind.

(4) SARAH SUZANNE FITCH B. May 26, 1959 in Auburn, Ind.

(3) WILLIAM HARVEY FITCH B. March 1, 1923 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Feb. 12, 1949 to PHYLIS CORAL KEIBLER B. Dec. 15, 1926 in Los Angeles, Cal.

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④ JANET LOUISE FITCH B. Sept. 10, 1956

④ JOHN FITCH B. June 1, 1959.

③ ALICE SUZANNE FITCH B. July 8, 1924 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. M. on Aug. 9, 1953 to TODD HENRY ENYEART B. Nov. 25, 1928 at Liberty Mills, Ind. Issue 2

④ MARK WILLIAM ENYEART B. Sept. 5, 1954, in Moscow, Idaho.

④ VICKY SUSAN ENYEART B. March 17, 1958 in Portland, Ore.

③ CLEO FITCH B. Oct. 7, 1927 in Fort Wayne, Ind. D. March 13, 1928. B.P. Perry Township Cemetery, Allen County, Ind.

HARVEY FITCH FAMILY

MARRIAGES

ORMIN EDWARD BROWN TO CANDACE SUE MALONEY, JULY 1, 1972.

RICHARD WALTER FITCH TO ELAINE HOOT, OCTOBER 19, 1972.

SANDRA LOU KELHAM (2ND MARRIAGE) TO RICHARD JAMES GATZA, AUGUST 4, 1973.

WILLIAM THOMAS LUCAS TO PAULA KNIGHT, SEPTEMBER, 1973.

JULIA ANN McCOMB TO WILLIAM CARL MILLER, APRIL 27, 1974.

DANFORD McCOMB TO LOIS SKINNER, AUGUST 6, 1975.

DAVID ALLEN SLOFFER TO VANESSA HINES, JULY 16, 1976.

JANICE MARIE McCOMB TO JOE SMITH, OCTOBER 21, 1977.

EDWARD LEE KELHAM TO LINDA LEE WATKINS, MAY 13, 1978.

KATHY ANN KELHAM TO DANIEL EUGENE DEGITZ, JULY 1, 1978.

ROBERT DEAN McCOMB TO SARA McQUADE, JANUARY 27, 1979.

LAURENCE RAY FITCH TO KAREN SUE MALONEY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1979.

BIRTHS

JASON FITCH GELLER B. JUNE 5, 1972 AND SAMUEL JOSEPH GELLER B. JUNE 25, 1974 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH GELLER

DUSTIN PATRICK DOWNS B. JANUARY 12, 1973 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL R. DOWNS.

MICHELLE LYNN FITCH B. MARCH 22, 1973 AND LUKE RICHARD FITCH B. AUGUST 14, 1975 AND KURT LEE FITCH B. MAY 4, 1977 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. RICHARD W. FITCH.

ALLEN MICHAEL FITCH B. MARCH 26, 1973 AND EMILY MURRAY FITCH B. MARCH 22, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. MICHAEL R. FITCH.

JOEL LYNN ZORGER B. JUNE 13, 1973 AND AMY MARIE ZORGER B. JUNE 21, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. KENNETH D. ZORGER.

KRISTI ANN YINGLING B. SEPTEMBER 27, 1973 AND KERRY EDWARD YINGLING B. NOVEMBER 20, 1975 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. KENNETH YINGLING.

JACKIE LYNN McCOMB B. AUGUST 6, 1973 AND JEFFREY KENNETH McCOMB B. SEPTEMBER 24, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. RUSSELL K. McCOMB, JR.

MARINA DAWN McCOMB B. AUGUST 6, 1973 ISSUE OF DEAN McCOMB (1ST MARRIAGE).

TY SAMUEL SLOFFER B. MAY 26, 1974 AND MONICA RAE SLOFFER B. AUGUST 21, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. SAMUEL SLOFFER.

SARAH ELIZABETH FRECK B. JULY 21, 1974 AND ANDREW ADAM FRECH B. MAY 16, 1976 ISSUES OF MR. AND MRS. THOMAS L. FRECK.

JENNIFER CHRISTINE LUCAS B. SEPTEMBER 30, 1974 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. WILLIAM THOMAS LUCAS.

ANGELA MARIE GAFF B. JANUARY 20, 1975 ISSUE OF JACKIE KAY LUCAS GAFF.

HARVEY FITCH FAMILY

BIRTHS (Cont'd.)

AMANDA LUCILLE ROPP B. October 1, 1975 issue of Mr. and Mrs. MIKEL O. ROPP III.

ELIZABETH ANN GATZA B. October 21, 1975 and MARY CATHERINE GATZA B. July 2, 1977 issues of Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD GATZA.

JILL MARIE LUCAS B. October 1976 and LAURA ANN LUCAS B. September 1978 issues of Mr. and Mrs. WM. THOMAS LUCAS.

MOLLY MARSCELLE SLOFFER B. May 28, 1976, NICHOLAS PAUL SLOFFER B. March 30, 1978 and TIMOTHY JOHN SLOFFER B. June 28, 1979 issues of Mr. and Mrs. PAUL SLOFFER.

JAMES RUSSELL DEGITZ B. August 18, 1979 issue of Mr. and Mrs. DANIEL E. DEGITZ.

DEATHS

JOHN PARKER FITCH D. April 14, 1974.

MARJORIE McCOMB FRECK D. May 11, 1976.

SARAH ELIZABETH FITCH STRATTON attended the Fitch school, built by her father, a seminary and Valparaiso University. Following her graduation, she taught school in Allen County. In 1881, she was married to Judge Irvin Franklin Stratton. They lived in Wichita, Kansas. Her husband was in California making preparations to move his family to a new home there when he was accidentally killed by a train.

Mrs. Stratton returned to Fort Wayne with her four children in 1902. After 1930 she lived in Parkersburg, W. Va. and Lauder-dale by the Sea in Florida.

She was the last survivor of her generation and lived to be 103 years old.

(1)
SARAH ELIZABETH FITCH B. Mar. 29, 1855 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Aug. 4, 1958. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind. M. Dec. 28, 1881 to IRVIN FRANKLIN STRATTON B. Apr. 20, 1848 near LaGro, Wabash County, Ind. D. Apr. 2, 1902. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 4

(2) LEANDER ELLIOTT STRATTON B. Apr. 13, 1885 at Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Jan. 17, 1910 to EDNA BELL BEAVER B. Aug. 1, 1890. D. Aug. 18, 1917. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 3

(3) MARK ELLIOTT STRATTON B. Oct. 19, 1912 at Gary, Ind.

(3) JANETTE STRATTON B. July 3, 1914 at Gary, Ind. D. Mar. 14, 1915. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind.

(3) GENE STRATTON B. Nov. 27, 1916 at Gary, Ind. Adopted Sept. 1917 by MR. AND MRS. GEORGE D. EMERICK of Gary, Ind. D. Nov. 3, 1921.

LEANDER ELLIOTT STRATTON second marriage on Apr. 2, 1919 to CLARA KOLSTAD B. Nov. 17, 1883 at Wilmot, S. Dakota. Issue 1

(3) DONALD LEE STRATTON B. Mar. 31, 1923 at Frazier, Mont. M. on June 21, 1945 to DOROTHY MAY CALFEE B. Sept. 7, 1926 at Frazier, Mont. Issue 3

(4) JOHN L. STRATTON B. Mar. 27, 1946 at Glasgow, Mont. M. on June 12, 1970 to GAIL DIXIE CARLSON B. Aug. 30, 1946 at Bismarck, N. Dakota.

(4) CHERYL KAY STRATTON B. July 21, 1949 at Glasgow, Mont.

(5) DONOVAN KAY STRATTON B. July 23, 1969 at Billings, Mont.

(4) DAWN GAYE STRATTON B. Feb. 28, 1957 at San Bernardino, Cal.

(2) HAROLD FITCH STRATTON B. Jan. 31, 1888 at Wichita, Kan.

(2) HELEN STRATTON B. Dec. 16, 1892 at Wichita, Kan. M. on Nov. 24, 1911 to CLAUDE HENRY BOWLBY B. Feb. 11, 1891 at Defiance, Ohio. Issue 4

(3) RUTH HELEN BOWLBY B. Nov. 29, 1912 at Gary, Ind. M. on May 27,

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1935 TO CARL EDWARD SCHAFER B. Oct. 25, 1905 IN Fort Wayne, Ind.

Issue 2

④ CARL EDWARD SCHAFER II B. Oct. 15, 1941 IN Fort Wayne, Ind. M. ON Dec. 14, 1963 TO JOAN LOUISE GOSHERT B. May 15, 1941 IN Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 1

⑤ JENNIFER JO SCHAFER B. Nov. 24, 1970 AT Fort Ord, Cal.

④ RICHARD LEE SCHAFER B. Apr. 28, 1944 IN Ft. Wayne, Ind.

③ ELIZABETH BOWLBY B. Nov. 15, 1913 AT LaPorte, Ind. M. Nov. 11, 1939 TO RAE CLARE NEWELL B. Mar. 11, 1914 IN Fort Wayne, Ind. D. Nov. 21, 1964. B.P. Greenlawn Cemetery, Ft. Wayne, Ind.

④ SARAH ELIZABETH NEWELL (adopted) B. Apr. 22, 1944 IN Fort Wayne, Ind. M. ON Sept. 26, 1970 TO AL RADSPILLER B. Jan. 17, 1941 IN Michigan.

③ ELIZABETH BOWLBY second marriage on Aug. 16, 1969 TO JOHN DONALD NEWELL B. July 13, 1911 IN Ft. Wayne, Ind.

③ CLAUDIA BOWLBY B. Feb. 4, 1917 IN Hammond, Ind. M. TO JAMES CAMBELFORD MAC INNES B. July 26, 1916 AT Hood River, Ore. Issue 2

④ JAMES CAMBELFORD MAC INNES, JR. B. July 17, 1947 AT Upper Darby, Pa. M. ON Sept. 6, 1969 TO PATRICIA JACQUELINE MANTLER B. Jan. 14, 1947 IN Istanbul, Turkey.

④ DOUGLAS BOWLBY MAC INNES B. Nov. 6, 1949 AT Philadelphia, Pa.

③ MARY STRATTON BOWLBY B. Sept. 17, 1923 AT Fort Wayne, Ind. M. ON Oct. 21, 1944 TO DAVIS MAXWELL SHRYER, JR. Divorced. Issue 4

④ MARY HELEN SHRYER B. Apr. 10, 1948 AT Cincinnati, Ohio. M. ON Sept. 4, 1971 TO THOMAS HANSEN BOAST B. Aug. 9, 1947 AT Ames, Iowa.

④ ALICE BOWLBY SHRYER B. Oct. 2, 1950 AT St. Paul, Minn.

④ SARAH ELIZABETH SHRYER B. Feb. 27, 1953 IN St. Paul, Minn.

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(4) DAVIS MAXWELL SHRYER, JR. B. Aug. 13, 1955 at St. Paul, Minn.

(3) MARY STRATTON BOWLBY second marriage on June 24, 1966 to DUNCAN

(3) HALL BAIRD B. Oct. 26, 1917 in New Jersey.

(2) MARGUERITE STRATTON B. Mar. 4, 1896 at Wichita, Kan. M. on July 3, 1920 to CLARENCE R. NOBLES B. June 11, 1894 at Buncombe, Ill. D. Aug. 13, 1928. B.P. Vienna, Ill. Issue 1

(3) ROBERT STRATTON NOBLES B. Feb. 3, 1922 at Champaign, Ill. M. on May 26, 1956 to MARY GERALDINE MC PHERSON B. June 25, 1921 at Parkersburg, W. Vir.

(4) ROBERT STRATTON NOBLES II B. Jan. 3, 1959 at Charleston, W. Vir.

SARAH ELIZABETH STRATTON FAMILY

MARRIAGES

DOUGLAS B. MAC INNES TO JENNIFER JO REECE, OCTOBER 5, 1974.

BIRTHS

JEREMY ALAN STRATTON B. MARCH 18, 1972 ISSUE OF JOHN L. STRATTON.

JAMES DAVID JESCHKE B. DECEMBER 27, 1976 ISSUE OF CHERYL STRATTON JESCHKE.

ANDREW DOUGLAS MAC INNES B. FEBRUARY 22, 1975 AND KATHERINE ANNE MAC INNES B. OCTOBER 18, 1977 ISSUES OF JAMES JR. AND PATTY MAC INNES.

HEATHER MAC INNES B. AUGUST 15, 1977 AND ERIN MAC INNES B. OCTOBER 18, 1979 ISSUES OF CAPT. DOUGLAS AND JENNIFER JO MAC INNES.

DEATHS

RUTH BOWLBY SCHAFER D. DECEMBER 18, 1973.

HAROLD F. STRATTON D. JANUARY 14, 1975.

CLARA STRATTON D. SEPTEMBER 13, 1976.

LEANDER STRATTON D. FEBRUARY 12, 1980.

ALLEN FITCH B. February 21, 1857 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Dec. 19, 1952. B.P. Acacia Park Cemetery Mendota, Minn. M. May 25, 1893 to EMMA LEWILLIAN GREEN B. Aug. 16, 1860 at Avon, Wisc. D. Jan. 21, 1954. B.P. Acacia Park Cemetery Mendota, Minn.

IDA ALICE FITCH B. Oct. 25, 1858 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Dec. 14, 1945. B.P. New Haven I.O.O.F. Cemetery, New Haven, Ind. M. Oct. 8, 1890 to MELVILLE ARTHUR MASON B. Mar. 22, 1862 near Monroeville, Ind. D. Feb. 3, 1938. B.P. New Haven I.O.O.F. Cemetery, New Haven, Ind.

EMELINE FITCH B. Feb. 1, 1861 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Aug. 28, 1949. B.P. New Haven I.O.O.F. Cemetery, New Haven, Ind. M. on Dec. 28, 1881 to ALLEN MONROE HARTZELL B. Aug. 25, 1856 at New Haven, Ind. D. June 28, 1922. B.P. New Haven I.O.O.F. Cemetery, New Haven, Ind.

DAVID FITCH FAMILY

~~HURSHEL~~ Burgess HELEN ~~BURGESS~~ Hurshel

DAVID EMMA

DAVID NATHANIEL FITCH, the youngest of the fifteen children of Nathaniel and Sarah Fitch, was born February 13, 1865. David Nathaniel Fitch attended school near Huntertown and, also, in Fort Wayne, Indiana. He was graduated from the Chicago Veterinary College. He practiced veterinary medicine in Auburn, Indiana for many years. He was married on June 1st, 1887 to Emma Belle Stirlen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stirlen of the County Line in Allen County.

David and Emma Belle Fitch lived their entire married life in Auburn, Indiana. Their family consisted of three children, two sons – Burgess and Hurshel, and a daughter, Helen.

(1) DAVID NATHANIEL FITCH B. Feb. 13, 1865 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. April 4, 1950. B.P. Woodlawn Cemetery, Auburn, Ind. M. on June 1, 1887 to EMMA BELLE STIRLEN B. Nov. 2, 1866 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Dec. 21, 1929. B.P. Woodlawn Cemetery, Auburn, Ind. Issue 3

(2) JAMES BURGESS FITCH B. June 26, 1888 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Feb. 10, 1962. Burial, cremation. M. on Dec. 26, 1912 to ALICE RAKESTRAW B. July 4, 1888 at Auburn, Ind. Issue 3

(3) WILLIAM DAVID FITCH B. Nov. 19, 1913 at Manhattan, Kansas. M. on Aug. 14, 1936 to ELIZABETH CROUCH LAMPRECHT B. Aug. 25, 1913 at Penrose, Colo. Issue 3

(4) CHARLOTTE ANN FITCH B. July 8, 1940 at Kansas City, Kan. M. on Oct. 10, 1964 to JOHN LYNN WUEPPER B. Jan. 9, 1939 at Bay City, Mich. Issue 1

(5) JONATHAN TODD WUEPPER B. July 21, 1969 at Lansing, Mich.

(4) ALICE JEAN FITCH B. Aug. 21, 1943 at Minneapolis, Minn. M. on Sept. 5, 1964 to JERRY CHARLES DECK B. July 30, 1943 at Upsilanti, Mich. Issue 2

(5) SARAH ELIZABETH DECK B. April 7, 1965 at Ann Arbor, Mich.

(5) ANDREW CHARLES DECK B. May 30, 1968 at Monterey, Cal.

(4) FRANCIA FITCH B. Nov. 12, 1950 at Upsilanti, Mich.

(3) MARJORIE JANE FITCH B. March 3, 1917 at Manhattan, Kan. M. on Sept. 22, 1940 to ROBERT HOWARD SHAFFER B. Sept. 13, 1915 at Delphi, Ind. Issue 2

(4) JAMES BURGESS SHAFFER B. May 6, 1945 at Boston, Mass. M. June 3,

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1967 to LYNN EITZEN B. April 23, 1946 at Chicago, Ill.

④ BRUCE WILLIAM SHAFFER B. Mar. 19, 1947 at Bloomington, Ind. D. Mar. 28, 1969 in Viet Nam (Cremation). M. June 11, 1968 to MARGARET WAID B. Nov. 17, 1946 at Washington, D.C.

③ HELEN ELIZABETH FITCH B. May 21, 1919 at Manhattan, Kan. M. on Sept. 4, 1942 to OTTO ADELBERT SILHA B. Jan. 15, 1919 at Chicago, Ill. Issue 3

④ STEPHEN FITCH SILHA B. April 9, 1950 at Minneapolis, Minn.

④ DAVID WILLIAM SILHA B. June 29, 1953 at Minneapolis, Minn.

④ ALICE BARBARA SILHA B. Nov. 29, 1955 at Minneapolis, Minn.

MARK Albert Silha

② HURSHEL HUMES FITCH B. Feb. 9, 1890 in Perry Township, Allen County, Ind. D. Oct. 21, 1969. Cremation. M. on July 9, 1918 to MABEL CATHERINE SNYDER B. Nov. 26, 1892 at Garrett, Ind. D. April 25, 1960. Cremation. Issue 2

② HURSHEL HUMES FITCH second marriage on Feb. 25, 1961 to BESSIE GLAWE.

③ STEPHEN DAVID FITCH B. Nov. 11, 1919 in Garrett, Ind. M. on Feb. 21, 1943 to CATHERINE ELIZABETH GALLATIN B. Oct. 14, 1920 at Garrett, Ind. Issue 3

④ STEPHEN DAVID FITCH II B. Oct. 19, 1947 in Rochester, N.Y.

④ JUDITH MABEL FITCH B. Nov. 9, 1952 in Rochester, N.Y.

④ RICHARD GALLATIN FITCH B. July 21, 1954 in Rochester, N.Y.

③ JAMES STERLING FITCH B. May 18, 1923 at Auburn, Ind. M. on Dec. 5, 1943 to JOANNE LOIS MILLER B. March 11, 1924 at Auburn, Ind. Issue 2

④ JAMES STERLIN FITCH II B. Feb. 5, 1947 at Auburn, Ind. M. on Sept. 30, 1967 to JACQUELINE DEE BROWNING B. Mar. 31, 1947 at Indianapolis, Ind. Divorced.

④ MARK WARREN FITCH B. April 29, 1952 at Auburn, Ind.

② HELEN CHLOE FITCH B. June 19, 1892 at Auburn, Ind. M. on June 17, 1925

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to RAYMOND TILDEN HAWVER B. March 22, 1891 at Claverack, N.Y. D. June 24, 1968. B.P. Lindenwood Cemetery, Fort Wayne, Ind. Issue 3

(3) MARY BELLE HAWVER B. June 13, 1927 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on June 10, 1950 to L. DAVID BROGREN B. May 20, 1925 at Muskegon, Mich. Issue 3

(4) CHRISTINA HOLMES BROGREN B. Aug. 6, 1951 at Detroit, Mich.

(4) DAVID FITCH BROGREN B. March 8, 1954 at Detroit, Mich.

(4) SARA STIRLEN BROGREN B. April 6, 1961 at Royal Oak, Mich.

(3) HELEN HOLMES HAWVER B. July 31, 1928 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on July 17, 1954 to ROBERT F. FLORSHEIM B. Sept. 9, 1928 in Germany.

(3) JANE STERLEN HAWVER B. June 1, 1931 in Fort Wayne, Ind. M. on Feb. 9, 1951 to WILLIAM ELLIS LE VAY B. Dec. 12, 1930 at Detroit, Mich. Issue 4

(4) BENJAMIN HAWVER LE VAY B. Mar. 8, 1954 at Wabash, Ind.

(4) WILLIAM BRADFORD LE VAY B. Jan. 24, 1955 at Wabash, Ind.

(4) SALLIE SIMS LE VAY B. July 25, 1956 at Wabash, Ind.

(4) DANIEL MYERS LE VAY B. March 31, 1964 at Wabash, Ind.

DAVID FITCH FAMILY

MARRIAGES

STEPHEN DAVID FITCH TO CAROL SMITH, AUGUST 21, 1971.
FRANCIA FITCH TO DOUGLAS GEORGE BIRDSALL, AUGUST 26, 1972.
JAMES STERLING FITCH, JR. TO PATRICIA ANN MILLER, MARCH 10, 1973.
CHRISTINA HOLMES BROGREN TO JOHN BENJAMIN SCOFIELD IV, JUNE 19, 1975.
DAVID FITCH BROGREN TO ELIZABETH JUNE DIXON, JULY 19, 1975.
SALLIE SIMS LE VAY TO JOHN SCHLUNDT, NOVEMBER 26, 1975.
JUDITH MABEL FITCH TO MICHAEL JOSEPH HOZA, OCTOBER 3, 1976.
ALICE BARBARA SILHA TO JOHN EMILIE REIMAN III, JANUARY 6, 1979.

BIRTHS

CRAIG THOMAS WUEPPER B. JULY 10, 1972 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JOHN L. WUEPPER.
EMILY LOUISE BIRDSALL B. MARCH 15, 1973 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS G. BIRDSALL.
DEREK BRUCE SHAFFER B. MAY 31, 1974 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES B. SHAFFER.
DAVID NATHANIEL FITCH B. JULY 25, 1974 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES S. FITCH JR.
KEVIN RICHARD FITCH B. OCTOBER 3, 1976 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. STEPHEN DAVID FITCH.
NATHANIEL BIRDSALL B. MARCH 15, 1977 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. DOUGLAS G. BIRDSALL.
CHRISTOPHER JAMES FITCH B. AUGUST 1, 1977 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES S. FITCH JR.
RYAN BROOKE SHAFFER B. OCTOBER 2, 1978 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES B. SHAFFER.
MICHAEL JONATHAN FITCH B. SEPTEMBER 1, 1979 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. JAMES S. FITCH JR.
SARAH ELIZABETH FITCH B. AUGUST 2, 1979 ISSUE OF MR. AND MRS. STEPHEN D. FITCH.

DEATHS

BESSIE GRAWE FITCH D. 1973.
ALICE RAKESTRAW FITCH D. NOVEMBER 7, 1973.
DAVID WILLIAM SILHA D. JANUARY 16, 1974.

CORRECTION

P. 76 THE NAME OF MARK ALBERT SILHA WAS OMITTED FROM THE SILHA FAMILY IN THE FITCH HISTORY BOOK. WE ARE TRULY SORRY MARK.

Births since 1992

Perry Fitch.....		
Jason R. Sanford	April 19, 1992	John & Allison Sanford
Jaquelyn K. Sanford	April 19, 1991	Tony & Tracy Sanford
Brittany L. Sanford	Jan. 20, 1993	Tony & Tracy Sanford
Ryan M. MCCarthy	Nov. 20, 1992	Doug & Angela McCarthy
Issac S. Patton	May 26, 1993	Tracy & Brian Patton
Gabriella J. Fitch	July 14, 1993	Richard & JoAnn Fitch
Travis A. More	March 15, 1993	Steven & Emmalean More
Mathias Fitch.....		
Daniel L. Ober	Aug. 13, 1993	Gerry & Cynthia Ober
Jessica C. Sonderoth	June 13, 1992	Danette & Donald Brice
Morgan A. Maurer	June 24, 1992	Kimberly & Scott Maurer
Kelsey L. Davis	Sept. 2, 1992	Karl & Maureen Davis
James C. Neally	Oct. 22, 1992	Victor & Lori Neally
Jennie Fitch Beers.....		
Matthew W. Peterson	March 5, 1994	Matthew & Sonia Peterson
Alexander B. Cassell	June 25, 1992	Bill & Bernadine Cassell
Trent R. Hensley-Beers	Dec. 20, 1992	Teresa & Steven Beers
Katelyn E. Johnston	Jan., 1994	Gail and James Johnston
Charles Fitch		
Kaitlyn E. Hart	Feb. 14, 1992	Paul & Tracey Hart
James R. Hart	Sept. 3, 1993	Paul & Tracey Hart
Fitelia Fitch Gloyd.....		
Albert J. Brown	Nov. 10, 2992	Lori & Albert Brown
Shane S. McDaniel	Oct. 19, 1992	Ruth & Arthur McDaniel
Harvey Fitch.....		
Issac T. Muter	Aug. 18, 1993	Karma & Michael Muter
Scott E. Thrush	July 4, 1993	Jeffrey & Patricia Thrush
Brandon T. Green	Oct. 28, 1992	James & Lori Green
Kristin N. Vandermeer	Jan. 4, 1993	Jenn & Thom. Vandermeer
Joseph C. Brown	Feb. 17, 1993	Janel & Kevin Brown
Sarah Elizabeth Fitch Stratton.....		
LaTasha L. Stratton	June 4, 1992	Jeremy & Naome Stratton
Maja H. Shryer	Sept. 9, 1992	Davis & Laura Shryer

David Fitch .....

James B. LeVay Sept. 6, 1993 Daniel & Susan LeVay